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OUTLINES.

While yesterday was not a "Black Friday" in New York, financial circles, it was a day of great anxiety; the bank failures elsewhere and rumors regarding the embarrassment of the Mercantile National Bank of New York, were depressing features, and a panic was averted by the Clearing House Association, which took charge of and entirely changed the management of the bank; metal and railroad stocks slumped sharply.—A United States Signal Corps balloon, which left St. Louis at 4:10 P. M. Thursday was sighted in the West Virginia mountains yesterday afternoon, having sailed 450 miles, beating the long distance record of 402 miles made by Lieutenant Lahm in Europe last year.—Snow was falling over the upper lake region yesterday, accompanied by a high wind.—The grave of President Kruger of the Transvaal, has been desecrated by thieves or vandals.—In a Chinese riot in Philadelphia yesterday two were killed and several wounded with pistols and knives.—In a banquet given by the Republican Club in New York last night Governor Hughes declared that he would not attempt to influence any election or any delegate to a convention.—Four people were killed and thirty injured in a collision yesterday between two trolley cars in the suburbs of Chattanooga.—The meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad, at Chicago, was again postponed yesterday till today.—An announcement was made that E. H. Harriman has John G. Mitchell, a Chicago banker, slated for Stuyvesant Fish's place as director.—In Carroll county, Va., yesterday George Peters, and Will Harris, negro, was hanged at Chesterfield Court House for attempting a nameless crime upon a young white girl.—On the New York Stock Exchange yesterday there was a slump in many stocks, the demoralization equalling panic periods of the past.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s New York Weekly Review of Trade reports business in the South and West as satisfactory.—William G. Rockefeller, assistant treasurer of the Standard Oil Company, testified yesterday in the Government's suit in New York against the Standard Oil Company; he stated that some of the surplus funds of the company are loaned in Wall Street.—New York markets: Money on call, strong and higher 5 to 10 per cent, ruling rate, 6, closing bid and offered at 8; spot cotton steady 11.75; flour easier; wheat weak, No. 2 red 1.07 1-2 elevator; corn easy, No. 2, 72 1-2 elevator; oats steady, natural white, 58 1-2 to 62; turpentine steady 55 1-2 to 56; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.40.

This is Bryan week in North Carolina.

Many a man loves to hear the steam piano, but isn't man enough to admit it.

Nay, Pauline, Lady Sibyl Cuffe is not domiciled in South Africa. She is one of your English ladies.

The Washington Post says: "According to an exchange, soap has been known to the world for 3,000 years." Still that is news to some people.

President Roosevelt always puts the "square deal" ahead of everything. After the square meal, however, come on with your square deal.

President Roosevelt says: "Nothing worse could happen to a woman than to marry a mollycoddle." That's where he's wrong. To marry two mollycoddles would be worse.

The Government is endeavoring to punish the Standard Oil Company for practicing deception in its methods. The Oil Trust should be made to know that it shall not be allowed to practice deception like any everyday business man.

Some alienist has asserted that 80 per cent. of all women are perfectly sane. The ease with which they can size up the average man is what probably has impressed the alienist that the percentage of knowing women is so large.

The Greensboro Record says: "Senator Overman, who is attending the fair, does not look like a man who entertains any fears. He wears a smile that can be felt and always stays in the middle of the road." The Senator knows how, when and where to wear that smile. That smile is what catches you.

That politicians watch public sentiment and will not offend it if they can help it, the announcement is made that Secretary Taft has ordered nothing but water to be served at the banquets tendered him. The Washington Post puts in that "Taft has heard of that cocktail imbroglio in Indiana."

The Charlotte Evening News, remarks: "Greensboro treated Bryan according to the king's taste. Next to Charlotte Greensboro is probably the best host in the State." We are mighty sorry to have to jump on the News, but did Editor Dowd ever come to Wilmington when oyster roasts are ripe and the glad hand gets busy?

BACK FROM EUROPE

Special Agent Fisher of Carolina Trucking Development Co., Interesting Immigrants.

TALKS MOST INTERESTINGLY

Ninety-One Families From Northern Italy Will Come to St. Helena Colony in Pender County. Other Countries Visited.

Mr. C. L. Fisher, general agent of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, of this city, which has done so much toward building up the waste places of Eastern North Carolina, and which has been quite successful in attracting to this section a desirable class of immigrants, who are contributing no little to this development, arrived in the city yesterday via New York from a four months tour abroad where he has been in the interest of the company by which he is engaged. Mr. Fisher spent the morning and afternoon in conference with Mr. C. VanLeuven, president of the company, and it was in the office of the latter on the fifth floor of the Southern Building yesterday afternoon that a representative of the Star had a most interesting interview with Mr. Fisher in regard to his travels abroad and his negotiations in foreign lands looking to the establishment of settlers for agricultural purposes in this vicinity.

Mr. Fisher arrived in New York Tuesday on the Hamburg-American Liner Wilhelm der Grosse, and after spending a day in the metropolis came immediately to Wilmington to make report to the C. T. D. Company, with whom, of course, he was in conference during the four months he was away. Most of his time was spent in the Netherlands, Germany and Austria, with a full month in Northern Italy, where the most fertile field for his endeavors was found and from which section of the sunny isle he succeeded in attracting the most desirable class of immigrants. Only the agricultural communities were visited and there Mr. Fisher found the most industrious and progressive of the race attempting to eke out an existence on plots of ground that in this country are inconsiderable. Under the strict immigration laws, Mr. Fisher, of course, only indirectly held forth to the serfs the higher life that awaited them in this country, but 91 families, constituting 450 people, manifested a sufficient interest to guarantee their coming to this country within the next few weeks, when they will settle at the St. Helena colony already established near Burgaw, in Pender county. These people are all of the best type of Italian immigrants and are so different from the ordinary contract Italian laborers that are brought teeming to this country that they would be recognized as entirely different peoples. The standard of morality is high and in the province from which Mr. Fisher succeeded in interesting so many he stated that there was not a single peace officer, houses are left open at night and such things as petty larceny, disorder and bloodshed are unknown; in fact, the people among whom he spent most of his time are industrious and frugal agriculturists who are spending their time in raising the sugar beet and are eking out an existence by the most intensive farming made necessary by the thickly populated district.

The colony will not be brought to America all at once, but under the immigration laws they will have to remain in the Old Country until they have provided themselves with transportation. This they have gone to work to do and the first installment of the Italian farmers are expected early next month on the new Austrian-American line recently established for the promotion of immigration between Trieste and New Orleans. The next ship will make a stop at Savannah and Mr. Fisher has the promise of at least fifteen of the colonists to arrive at that time. This line has great possibilities for the South according to Mr. Fisher, and it is stated that it is not without the range of possibility that in the near future steamers of the line may find it profitable to come in at the port of Wilmington.

The Carolina Trucking Development Company of which Mr. Van Leuven is president and which is allied with the large interests of Hugh MacRae & Co., in this city, owns thousands of acres of arable lands in this vicinity and already considerable progress has been made in attracting desirable settlers here to build up these waste places. The St. Helena colony was started with seven worthy sons of the isle for which it is named and now it has grown to a population of more than eighty. The Italian people have gone to work, gotten the lands under the best cultivation, are contented and happy and have come to stay. There has been objection to colonists from Italy, no distinction being made between northern and southern Italy. Experience with the St. Helena colony and the travels of Mr. Fisher abroad have demonstrated beyond peradventure that the prejudice against Northern Italy is ill founded and that no better section of the Old Country presents a more fertile field for the attraction of desirable settlers than this territory.

Mr. Fisher will remain in the city with the Carolina Trucking Develop-

RACING MAT YESTERDAY

Interesting Events On Wilmington Turf Under Auspices of Driving Association—Running Race Abandoned at the Last.

The racing matinee held yesterday afternoon on the Old Fair Grounds track under the auspices of the Wilmington Driving Association was one of the best yet held and attracted a large number of spectators who followed the course of the horses with keen interest. There were only three events, the running race having been eliminated at the last moment, but the harness events were pulled off in good shape and with some fair surprises. Mr. D. McEachern acted as official starter; Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., as timekeeper, and Messrs. J. G. Littig, Jr., H. M. Crosswell and Dr. T. B. Carroll as judges.

In the 2:50 class Bessie C., driven by Taylor, was the winner; time 1:24 for half-mile heats. Fay, owned and driven by McEachern was second and Anteo, driven by Sidney MacMillan, was third.

The 2:40 trotting and pacing event was won by Wilton Boy, driven by Poole and owned by Schloss; time 1:14. Queen, driven by Caldwell, was second and Sir Hanna, driven by Wrede, was third. The other entries were DeCastle, driven by Bretterwitz, and Patti, driven by Emerson.

The 2:30 trotting and pacing was won by Jack of Diamonds, owned and driven by Mills; time 1:12 1-2. Traveler, by McEachern, was second, the heats between these two horses having been the best exhibition of the afternoon, the animals coming in close in the final trot.

The matinee yesterday afternoon was postponed on account of the show to Friday afternoon, but the regular weekly matinee will take place next Thursday as usual. Several new horses are promised for the next meet of the Association.

SOUTHPORT NEWS

Items of Interest From This Week's Issue of the Herald.

Captain L. A. Galloway has been in command of the steamer Southport while the Wilmington has been undergoing repairs.

Captain Jos. Daniels has accepted command of the steamer Madeleine which plys between Port Caswell and Wilmington daily.

The barge "Louis H." was towed to the Port from Wilmington last Friday with two large guns which are to be placed in one of the new batteries there.

Both the steamers Wilmington and Atlantic carried up large crowds yesterday to see Buffalo Bill's circus. Special schedules were operated so that both the afternoon and night performances could be seen.

While outside last Friday night pulling on the bark Launberga the steamer Wilmington hit some obstruction with her propeller breaking off two of the blades, in consequence of which she was laid up on the railway for a few days.

Mr. James A. Pearce, who has been the efficient engineer of the steamer Atlantic for the past year has resigned that position and has accepted the position of engineer of the tug Blanche. Mr. Pearce is succeeded on the Atlantic by Mr. Sam Watts who was formerly on the Blanche.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Important Meeting This Afternoon. Delegates to Report.

The regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Wilmington Light Infantry armory and it will be one of the most important of the year. The principal feature will be a report from the delegates who recently attended the State convention at Greensboro. These delegates were Mrs. M. S. Willard, Mrs. W. M. Creasy, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin and Mrs. Frank L. Huggins. The report will be presented by Mrs. Martin, secretary of the Cape Fear Chapter. The State Convention will be held next year in Goldsboro but an effort will be made to bring the meeting to Wilmington in 1909.

It is also important that the delegates appointed to the General Convention U. D. C., which meets in Norfolk next month be present at the meeting this afternoon.

Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, George Davis Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, will meet at the Wilmington Light Infantry armory and a full attendance is desired also at this meeting as it will be important.

Steamer Lyon Reaches Port.

The steamer C. W. Lyon, which has been tied up at Elizabethtown on account of the low stage of the water in the Cape Fear, arrived in port yesterday afternoon and will clear for the return this afternoon. There seems to be very little improvement in the condition of the water for navigation in the river.

ment Company some time and with Mr. Van Leuven and other officials of the company will continue the work they have begun so auspiciously. The efforts mean much not only for Eastern North Carolina, but for the whole State and the South.

MRS. ELIZA BELLAMY

Wilmington's Oldest Native Born Resident and Good Woman Passed Away Yesterday.

AT HOME ON MARKET STREET

Had Reached Advanced Age of 87 Years and Was Mother of Large and Distinguished Family—Funeral This Afternoon.

There passed away in this city yesterday morning at nine o'clock at her home, No. 503 Market street, not only perhaps the oldest native-born white resident of Wilmington, but one of the most genial and kindly personalities known to the older residents of this section, Mrs. Eliza M. Bellamy, widow of the late Dr. John D. Bellamy and mother of one of the largest and most distinguished families of the Cape Fear. The news of the death will come with sorrow to a great many friends not only among the older but among the younger residents of the city, with whom she was especially popular, and the bereaved ones will have the tenderest sympathy of all in the great loss which they have sustained.

Until six years ago Mrs. Bellamy was in the best of health, and no one of her years was more active or took a deeper interest in general affairs about her. Her health, however, about this time began to fail, and while she had been up and about her home since that time, it was only within the last several months that her condition had been regarded as at all serious. Although enjoying the very best of medical attention and being nursed with the tenderest solicitude for her every comfort, it was seen several days ago that the end was near and while death came not unexpected, it was a sad realization for members of the family, all of whom were with her when she died, and hundreds of friends in this city and throughout the State where she was well known and held in the very highest esteem.

Mrs. Bellamy was Miss Eliza McElhenny Harris, eldest daughter of the lamented Dr. William J. Harris, who was mayor of Wilmington at the time of his death, and Mary Priscilla Jennings, daughter of George Jennings, of sainted memory. Mrs. Bellamy was born August 6th, 1821, at the corner of Fourth and Market streets, where now stands the residence of Herbert McElhenny, Esq., and she was, therefore, in the 87th year of her age. She was educated in her girlhood at Pittsboro, N. C., and later attended school in New Haven, Conn., transportation to the north then having been by sailing vessel of the smallest type, it having been the custom for sons and daughters of the old South to take passage together for the higher educational institutions which were then and are now the leading ones of the country, the voyages often being tedious and fraught with dangers to the smaller craft that were then in general use in the coastwise traffic. Mrs. Bellamy at school was especially proficient as a botanist and her distinguishing characteristic in after life was a love for flowers and the beautiful in nature. This is attested by the beautiful grounds and flower gardens which now surround the stately home of the family at northeast corner of Fifth and Market streets, and which are the admiration of all who pass that way. Among the interesting collections now treasured in the family homestead is a herbarium formed of the finest botanical specimens by Mrs. Bellamy as early as 1835 and brought up to date from year to year with rare specimens both from the North and South. Another distinguishing characteristic of Mrs. Bellamy was her knowledge of genealogy, her memory for names and dates and heraldry, having been nothing short of marvelous, her knowledge in this respect often having been put to good account in after years.

Returning to Wilmington in her young womanhood, Mrs. Bellamy on the 12th of June, 1839, became the wife of the late Dr. John D. Bellamy, who passed away in Wilmington loved and respected by all in the year 1896 in the eightieth year of his age. There came to bless the union of Dr. and Mrs. Bellamy a large family of sons and daughters whom they lived to see occupy first place in their city and State, socially, intellectually, professionally and politically. With the single exception of the eldest daughter, Mrs. W. J. Duffy, who recently passed away at her home in Columbia, S. C., all of the sons and daughters are now living in this city and community, these being Marsden Bellamy, Sr., Esq., Dr. William J. H. Bellamy, Hon. John D. Bellamy, late Congressman from the Sixth District; Misses Eliza and Ellen Bellamy, with whom the mother resided; Mr. George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick, and Mr. Robert R. Bellamy, of this city. Mrs. Bellamy also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Andrew J. Howell, Sr., and Miss Mittie Harris, of this city, and a great number of grandchildren. All of them have the tenderest sympathy of a host of friends in this, their hour of sorrow.

Mrs. James Phillips Verner and Mrs. William J. Taylor, daughters of Mrs. Duffy, were with their grandmother from Columbia, S. C., since her condition became serious. Mrs. Bellamy was a devoted mem-

ber of the First Presbyterian Church of this city and until her health forbade took a lively interest in the affairs of the congregation. She was kind and charitable in her deeds and her life was one of good works. The funeral will be conducted this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the late residence by Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., and the remains will be laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery.

MR. W. J. LOVE DEAD

Well Known Citizen of Tar Heel, Bladen County—Died Monday.
Friends in this city have learned with sorrow of the death of Mr. W. J. Love, of Tar Heel, Bladen county, which occurred rather suddenly at his home Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Love had been in poor health several years but was well as usual after breakfast on Monday when he suffered an attack of some kind and passed away quickly. Mr. Love was a brother of the late Major T. D. Love and was an uncle of Messrs. T. D. W. W. and C. P. Love, of this city. He is survived by his wife, three sisters and two brothers, the sisters and brothers being Mrs. Virginia Moore, of this city; Mrs. Tillah Robeson, of Bladen, and Miss Lela S. Love, of Tar Heel; Messrs. L. B. Love, of Tar Heel, and F. M. Love, of Jessup, Ga.

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COTTON RECEIPTS HEAVY

Weekly Stock Report of Chamber of Commerce Posted Yesterday. Steamer Arrives and Another Clears With Cargo—Notes.

Receipts of cotton at the port of Wilmington continue heavy, those of the week ended yesterday as posted in the weekly stock report of the Chamber of Commerce being 30,159 bales against 19,452 same week last year, an increase of something over 10,000 bales for the seven days. The receipts since September 1st have been 143,905 bales against 102,018 bales up to a corresponding date in 1906. The exports for the week were also in like proportion, the number of bales having been 19,263 bales against 27,308 bales during the corresponding period last season. The exports for the crop year to date have been 100,957 bales against only 72,594 up to the same date in 1906. Yesterday's receipts were 4,985 bales against 2,462 bales same day last season. Of yesterday's receipts 219 bales were brought by the Clyde Liner Navahoe from Georgetown, S. C.

Of the stocks the report posted yesterday shows 24,531 ashore and 18,255 bales afloat, making a total of 42,786 ashore and afloat against only 29,269 bales same day last year. The cotton afloat represents what has been compressed and loaded aboard ship, awaiting completion of cargoes when the vessels will depart.

There are now five steamers in port loading and the scenes around the Champion Compress where several hundred hands are employed is a busy one. The latest addition to the cotton fleet in port is the British steamer Inca, 1,931 tons, Captain Cooper, which arrived yesterday from New York. She will take a berth at the Champion Compress at once and begin receiving the staple for the foreign market. The Inca is not a very large ship as to register but she has good carrying capacity.

The British steamer Thomas Wayman, Captain Johnson, will sail at daylight this morning for Havre, France, with the ninth cargo of cotton from the port this season and the first for the French port. The cargo consists of 6,614 bales, valued at \$430,000 and consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

AN OBJECT OF CHARITY

Woman Apparently Deserted in This City in the Hospital.

In a charity ward at the James Walker Memorial Hospital lies a young woman who must suffer with two little children, the one 13 months old, the other ten days old, unless she receive help from some source as she must leave the institution which is now providing for her unless other arrangements are made. Some weeks ago a young man brought his wife here but left very soon for an adjacent city with a moving picture machine and no provision was left here for her by the husband. In a destitute condition she was no longer allowed at the boarding house at which she stopped and finally came to the home of Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, where they were cared for until the mother was taken to the hospital and the infant was born. The husband writes to the forsaken young wife, but is contributing nothing to her support and while she will not prosecute him for abandonment, she has no means of support and Rev. Mr. Whitlock feels that a civilized community should know of the case so that any kindly disposed person may offer some relief. He would be glad to hear from any one interested in this work of humanity and may be seen at his home, 505 Campbell street, where the oldest of the two little children is being cared for.

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FAIR GREAT SUCCESS

Big State Event Closed With Brilliant Marshal's Ball at Raleigh Last Night.

SEVERAL CHARTERS ISSUED

Governor Offers Supplementary Reward for L. M. Bryant—Wilmington Man Interested in Laurinburg Enterprise.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18.—Today practically ended one of the greatest State fairs in the history of the Association. In point of attendance it was probably the greatest, with its huge crowds of Wednesday, Mason's Day, and the 45,000 that thronged the grounds yesterday, when William Jennings Bryan spoke. Today was educational day. Again there was a gigantic throng and again the weather was perfect and nothing to mar the success of the whole. A feature of the day was the meeting of the Tobacco Growers Association of North Carolina on the grounds at noon. J. O. Gravelly, of Rocky Mount, secretary and grand lecturer of the Association, made an address on the methods of the tobacco trust to keep down prices and plans to meet the issue. Tonight the tobaccoists met again in the Capitol to discuss the price of tobacco and how best it may be increased. Three races are being run at the grounds today, for 2.27 class pacers and 2.27 class trotters, purses of \$250 each, and a road race.

Tonight the great social event of the week, the marshals' ball, is under way. Chief Marshal Albert L. Cox, of Raleigh, led the dance, with Miss Elsie Haywood, of this city. Among the assistant marshals in attendance are Mr. Green with Miss Lamar, Mr. Daughtridge with Miss Horne, Mr. Francis Cox with Miss Arabel Nash, Mr. Smith with Miss Johnson, Mr. W. C. Harris with Miss Catherine Boylan.

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction is hard at work on the North Carolina Day pamphlet, and most of the material is in the hands of the printers.

The following companies were incorporated today by the Secretary of State: Colonial Screen Venetian Blind and Door Company, of Laurinburg, authorized capital \$50,000, to begin business with \$9,350, Walter H. Neal, Thomas J. Gill, A. A. McEachern, of Laurinburg; Sam Bear, Jr., of Wilmington, and others, are the incorporators. Northeast Land Company, of Durham, capital, \$125,000, to begin business with \$1,200, incorporators, E. J. Parrish, E. L. Bryan and Jones Fuller, of Durham.

Blackmon Wood Company, of Charlotte, to deal in coal and wood, capital \$5,000, to begin with \$500, incorporators W. T. J. Blackmon, J. H. McAden, T. C. McAden, of Charlotte. Fayetteville Insurance and Realty Company, of Fayetteville, capital \$100,000, to begin with \$15,000; incorporators, T. G. McAllister and L. A. Williamson, of Fayetteville, and C. C. McAllister, of Asheboro.

North State Coffee Company, of Charlotte, capital \$25,000, to begin with \$5,000; incorporators, P. L. Lance, S. A. Van Every, E. B. Gresham, of Charlotte.

Governor Glenn offered a reward of \$100 for the capture of L. M. Bryant, a white man implicated in the killing of Banks Rothwell in New Hanover county recently. This to supplement a similar reward offered by the county.

The Governor calls a special term of civil court for Nash county, to begin December 9th, Judge Ward presiding.

Uniforms for Police.

The uniform and equipment fund being a little depleted on account of the purchase of a better quality of goods than heretofore, the police are now having their measures taken for pants and vest at the store of A. David Company and will use the coats now being worn as the Winter uniform. Notice was given yesterday to members of the force and a number of the officers called at the store during the afternoon and were "sized" up by the cutter.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: "The Cape Fear Lumber Company has about pulled up root and branch and left our county." Their material and most of their employees go to the company's camp at Maple Hill, Pender county, N. C. This company, whose mills are located at Wilmington, has conducted an extensive logging business in this county for many years."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mercer & Evans Co.—Footwear.
E. Warren & Son—Special for Sunday.
Palace Market—Everything Good to Eat.
J. W. Fleet Co.—Well Chosen Clothes.
Carolina Savings and Trust Co.—Saving.

Business Locals.
Wanted—A Colored Boy.
Wanted—Position as Stenographer.
Mrs. Curtis Arnall—Elocution.

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WILMINGTON'S THIRTY-FOOT CHANNEL.

It is gratifying to note that the press of North Carolina is heartily seconding the movement for a thirty-foot navigation channel in the Cape Fear river from Wilmington out to sea. It is recognized what it means to the State as well as to its chief seaport. The movement means a deeper water port for North Carolina and the matter is being looked at in that light. Editor Stevens, of the Newbern Journal, writes this well considered editorial on the subject:

"It looks as if the friends of Wilmington, who have advocated and given publicity to the demand for a deep waterway from that city to the ocean, were about to have their efforts rewarded. As an advocate in this matter the Journal has for years been using its columns to advance the movement, and now comes the word that the traveling director of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, is in Wilmington, in reference to the project of securing such government aid which means an appropriation that will result in giving Wilmington a thirty-foot waterway from its docks to the Atlantic ocean."

"The National Rivers and Harbors Congress at its meeting last December, with delegates from thirty-two States, two territories, representing 189 chambers of commerce, boards of trade and waterway associations, with fourteen governors of States, mayors of twenty-six cities, unanimously adopted the following:

"The National Government having assumed the control of the rivers, harbors and waterways of the Republic, it owes the people the prompt and efficient discharge of such function."

"Therefore, Be it resolved, That we urge Congress to appropriate not less than fifty million dollars annually for the improvement of rivers, harbors and waterways, commencing with the present session of Congress."

"This shows the strength of the organization, and now with North Carolina's seaport city of Wilmington in line for this government aid, it remains only for a united, hearty, persistent co-operation of all citizens of the State to secure the appropriation and give to North Carolina a great waterway, which shall mean a waterway for the foreign commerce of this State."

"The director, Mr. Fox, has already gone down the Cape Fear river, and looked into the matter for the thirty-foot channel for Wilmington. Mr. Fox will visit Newbern, and there should be a large gathering here to meet him, to add Newbern's co-operation to the movement. That there will be a realization of this waterway for Wilmington and North Carolina, is a matter of congratulation, and those who have worked for it, should take on added courage and zeal until it is an accomplished fact."

The Winston-Salem Journal copies the Star's editorial on our waterway project, and adds this valuable comment in endorsement of the movement for "a big port for North Carolina":

"It is gratifying to note the enthusiasm and earnestness with which the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and the people of Wilmington generally are working on the project for a 30-foot channel in the Cape Fear from Wilmington to the ocean. The committee of the Chamber of Commerce having the matter in charge is composed of men who are accustomed to get results from their efforts and they are working with determination and confidence upon plans of large scope."

"At the instance of Maj. E. W. Van Court Lucas, a member of the Chamber of Commerce committee, Mr. John A. Fox, director of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, and an authority upon waterways, has just visited Wilmington and is going to visit other points in the State with a view of arousing interest in the project. The people of the State have already realized the importance of the State generally of making Wilmington a first-class port and there seems little doubt but that Mr. Fox will receive a cordial reception wherever he may go."

"The project deserves the heartiest support from the entire business interest of the State. As the Star says, Wilmington is merely the custodian of the port and the entire State will receive the benefits that will be derived from the great shipping business that will naturally come when the channel is deepened and the port otherwise improved. The meeting to be held should be well attended and an organization effected that can finish the work already started by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce."

If Mr. Fox finds this kind of sentiment everywhere in North Carolina he will realize that all he has to do is to urge North Carolina cities to send representatives to the meeting to be held in Wilmington November 5th to organize a North Carolina branch of the Rivers and Harbors Congress. When North Carolina organizes that branch it will be in the best possible position to secure from Congress the appropriations which the waterways and harbors of the State merit."

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NO CUT IN COTTON GOODS.

Cotemporary with the decline in the price of raw cotton several days ago, the dry goods jobbing house of Marshall Field & Co., of Chicago, stirred up the mercantile establishments in New York by making a sensational reduction in the price of some standard manufactured cottons. New York was wondering how the Chicago house could make the reduction and it was at first believed that the cotton mills had reduced prices. The mill people, however, denied it, and the New York mercantile establishments were left to guess how the Chicago house could actually sell manufactured cottons at a price lower than the New York houses could buy the same goods. The trades papers in New York paid a good deal of attention to the matter, and discussed it several days.

The New York Journal of Commerce comes to the conclusion that this movement on the part of the Chicago house was just one of the tricks of the trade. Says that paper:

"While the cut in cotton prices by Marshall Field & Co., of Chicago, was naturally the source of much interest and some concern in local cotton goods circles, it did not result in weakness in any direction. Prices were maintained at full previous schedules, and the disposition was to regard the entire matter as a shrewd advertising move on the part of the Western jobbing house. Chicago advances, however, quoted a representative of the house as saying the reduction was due to the decline in cotton and to trade reasons, and that they desired to be in the lead in making prices. Sales so far at the decline have not been large."

As a matter of fact the mills have made no cut in the price of cotton goods. C. D. Borden, cotton manufacturer, in an interview in the New York Mail, declared the reduction in prices could not be explained upon the theory that supply in the cotton goods trade had at last caught up with demand.

"What a jobbing house like Marshall Field & Co., may have in view I don't know. Any one of a dozen causes may have dictated the action. Probably it was thought to brist up trade. Certainly it cannot have been predicated upon the theory that supply has at last caught up with demand for cotton goods. It is perfectly evident to me that supply has not reached demand, and I have had a good deal of experience in the cotton business. I never saw such an actual shortage. For a year the demand has been away ahead of supply, and today the bulk of the product of mills throughout the country is sold for months ahead. And I have never seen such a distribution as during the past eight or ten months. To sum up conditions, I can say that never in my experience have I seen such an actual shortage. The situation is strong so far as the seller is concerned. If prices continue to go up eventually the public will refuse to buy, but that check to consumption will not appear until there is a material increase in supply. A stern chase is a long chase, and it will take a long time to make up the deficiency, just as it takes a long time to get rid of an overproduction."

The manufacturers are too shrewd to reduce prices under the belief that raw cotton is going to sell at a low price. Their standing pat is a good sign that they expect to pay the South good prices for its cotton. Hold your cotton.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—When the Pennsylvania Railroad can no longer borrow money for improvements, it is time to stop and ask, "Whither are we drifting?"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Keep your skirts clear and feel like a man," advises the Wilmington (N. C.) Star. Isn't that rather a large contract for the fair sex to tackle?—Washington Post.

—Pastor Aked, recently brought over from England to New York, says the story of Jonah is a fiction. Then the nature faker is no modern creation.—Philadelphia Ledger.

—Today the people of Henderson county will vote on the bond issue for the Appalachian Interurban Railway. If we are to judge from the optimistic utterances of those who know the people of that county, the bonds will carry at the polls with a rush. On October 29, the voters of Buncombe will take action in the same question. How will they answer? Believing that the people of our county will have the same intelligence as the people of Henderson, The Citizen feels sure that the voters of the country districts will not be found wanting when the call is made.—Asheville Citizen, Oct. 17.

—Mr. Bryan could not have received a heartier or a more sincere welcome than he was accorded in Greensboro yesterday. His was the one name on every lip. And every one in his own way was prepared to make known his admiration for the great Nebraskan and his pleasure in having him visit Greensboro. As for Bryan himself, he is always more than you expect; more impressive in his quiet, unaffected dignity, more charming in his rich humor, more convincing in his well thought out arguments, more commanding in the wide, sure sweep of his information. And yesterday was no exception to the rule. He was the same Bryan only more so.—Greensboro Telegram.

TWINKLINGS.

—Figure of Speech—Mrs. Jones keeps boards, does she not? "Not very long."—Cleveland Leader.

—"Jones is the most prominent member of the Golf Club." "Why, he can't play golf?" "No, but he always pays his dues."—Cleveland Leader.

—First Moth—I don't believe the

coat I ate was all wool. Second Moth—Evidently the Pure Food Law is of no account.—New York Sun.

—Knicker—So they married in haste and repented at leisure? Bocker—Yes; ceremony in New York and went to live in Philadelphia.—New York Sun.

—"But your minister is gruff." "Kinder." "And chews tobacco." "We're satisfied. Them sort don't run much to affinities, or such is our experience."—Washington Herald.

—"Say, pa, won't you buy me a drum?" "No, I'm afraid you'd disturb me with the noise." "No, I won't, pa; I'll only drum when you're asleep."—Life.

—A mother was giving her little girl a bath when she said: "I wonder where this dust on the water came from?" Small Girl—Perhaps I leak somewhere, mamma. You know, I'm made of dust.—The Circle.

—They were about to entertain a few friends, and her husband suddenly busied himself with the umbrellas, carrying them upstairs. When he had taken up the last one she said to him, somewhat amazed: "Why, dear, why do you hide the umbrellas like that? Are you afraid our friends will steal them?" "No," said he; "I'm afraid they will recognize them."

Kingly Titles.

The king of Aya is called "the king of kings, whom all other sovereigns obey; the cause of the preservation of all animals; the regulator of the seasons; the master of the sea's ebb and flow; brother to the sun; lord of the moon; king of the twenty-four umbrellas."

The king of the little principality of N'Sredo is addressed by his eleven courtiers on state occasions as "sovereign of the universe, whose body is as luminous as the sun; whom God created to be as accomplished as the moon at her full; whose eyes glitter like the north star; a king as spiritual as a ball is round; he who when he rises shades all the people of the earth."

The maharajah of Kapurthala is officially known as "emperor of the earth, possessor of the white elephant, owner of the two earrings, legitimate heir of Pegu and Brahma, ruler of the twelve provinces of the world, master of the twelve kings, lord of all."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Degraded Tea Drinking.

It would not be quite correct to say that tea drinking was ever actually illegal in Britain, but serious attempts were made to stop its consumption by prohibitive duties and popular prejudice. It appears to have been first publicly sold in England as a decoction at Garraway's coffee house, in Exchange alley. A duty of 18 pence per gallon was then put on the decoction, and this was subsequently changed for one of 5 shillings a pound on the leaf. Its qualities were little known, and agitations were attempted with the object of getting its consumption made illegal. The practice of tea drinking, however, spread rapidly, especially among ladies, but popular prejudice was still very strong against it, and to ask for a cup of tea after dinner, instead of wine, was to incur the suspicion of being addicted to an unhealthy and degrading habit.—London Mail.

A Chance For Somebody.

"Very strange, isn't it, about the story of Adam and Eve?" "How?" "Why, as far as I know, it hasn't been worked up into a historical novel."—Watson's Magazine.

Ungallant Cromwell.

We have heard a great deal lately of the chivalrous consideration shown by men and women in the good old times, but the casual remarks of various writers of those days tend to dispel the illusion, says the London Chronicle. John Aubrey, for instance, writing about 1678, tells us that "King James I's court was so far from being civil to women that the ladies—nay, the queen herself—could hardly pass by the king's apartment without receiving some affront." And in one of Richard Symon's pocketbooks there is the following account of Oliver Cromwell's behavior at his daughter's wedding in 1657: "The lord protector threw about sack posset among the ladies to soyle their rich cloaths, which they took as a favour, and also wet sweetmeats, and dabbed all the stools where they were to sit with wet sweetmeats."

Bells and Money.

A thousand men can go to work at 7 o'clock in the morning without the ringing of a bell, and why is it that 800 people cannot assemble in a church without a previous tling-dong lasting half an hour?—Detroit Free Press.

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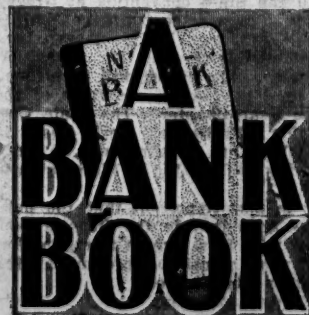
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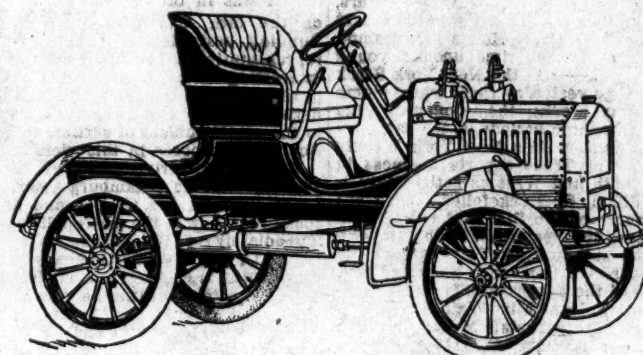
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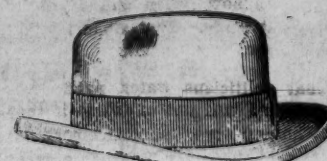
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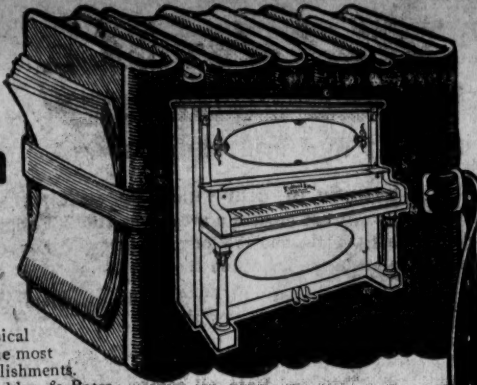
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Say the alphabet aloud, and when you have finished ask yourself if every letter would be perfectly distinct and intelligible to any one who might be listening. Here lies the fundamental principle of all speaking. Every element of every spoken word should be distinct and intelligible. In repeating the alphabet each letter ought to make a perfect escape from the lips of the speaker. Does it make such an escape when you say it? Do you send it out vigorously? Watch yourself as you speak each letter and see what happens to it. If it gives you the sense of hanging about your lips, or if it does not seem absolutely to separate itself from you, or if it drops into your throat, say it again and will it to go boldly out. Try to think of it as being outside yourself as a thing apart. When you succeed in thinking of it in this way, if you don't care for words or if you have never thought about them, you will have taken the first step toward the mastery of good speech. To speak well you must love words and their elements. You must love individual letters. —Harper's Bazar.

Paying Through the Nose.

"Paying through the nose" is to be indirectly swindled in a transaction or to pay an exorbitant price for a thing in consideration of long credit. A variant is "to be bored through the nose," "bored" here having the meaning of cheated, deceived.

At this instant he bores me with some trick. —"Henry VIII." I. i. 123. One that hath gulled you, that hath bored you, sir. —"Life of T. Cromwell," 1622. II. 4.

Schoolboy Answers.

Here are some assertions from compositions by American schoolboys: "Franklin's father was a tallow chandler." "The climate of North America is embracing." "This song is in the key of B flat." "There are five bowels—a, e, i, o and u." "The snow is painting the town white." "He lived in Cambridge-pork." "Man is in the muscular gender because it denotes a male." "They went to the foolish (Polish) church." Question: "What is geography?" Answer: "Geography is round, like a ball."

Fame.

It is an indiscreet and troublesome ambition that cares so much about fame, about what the world says of us; to be always looking in the faces of others for approval; to be always anxious about the effect of what we do or say; to be always shouting to hear the echoes of our own voices. —Longfellow.

Repressed Sentiments.

People who marry always hear good wishes, congratulations and other pleasant remarks, but they miss much in not hearing the repressed sentiments which burst forth to others. A woman who recently received a wedding announcement from a friend was heard to exclaim in tones of disgust, "What a willful disregard of the manifestation of Providence when she was so plainly intended for an old maid!"

Merely Practicing.

"I wonder," said the tall man in the suit of faded black, "if I could interest you in a new and cheap edition of the works of Anthony Trollope."

"I don't know," answered the man at the desk. "Go ahead and let me hear what you have to say."

The book agent began at once. "Every student of literature knows," he said, "that Anthony Trollope was one of England's greatest novelists. It is true perhaps that he wrote for a limited class."

And so on for ten minutes.

"No," said the man at the desk, turning again to his work, "you haven't succeeded in interesting me a bit."

"That's all right," rejoined the tall man in the suit of faded black, replacing the sample volume in his valise with imperturbable composure. "I have just started out canvassing with these books, and I was only practicing on you. Good afternoon." —Baltimore American.

The Deacon's Philosophy.

Deacon Walker philosophizes thus: I overlook lots of things, but here is one fact that hasn't got away from me. It is a whole lot easier to sit back in the congregation and criticize the sermon than it is to get up in the pulpit and preach a crackjack yourself. Somehow or other people just can't get the idea out of their heads that way down at the bottom of every old maid's trunk is the photograph of the man she could have married. I have noticed that when a girl deliberately baits her hook and goes to fishing for a husband she is more apt to land a crawfish than a black bass. "Agamemnon," said I to one of the members of our church the other day, "aren't you going to give anything toward the preacher's salary this year?" "No," he replied very emphatically. "I gave \$5 one year and didn't get a bit more trade from the members, and I made up my mind that it was simply throwing money away." —Kansas City Journal.

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U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	9,269 88
Furniture and fixtures	6,530 49
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	160,729 21
Due from State Banks and Bankers	162,034 27
Due from approved reserve agents	63,832 03
Checks and other cash items	10,071 47
Exchanges for clearing house	6,404 11
Notes of other National Banks	12,640 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	28 25
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$15,494 96
Legal tender notes	9,400 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	24,894 96
	7,550 00
Total	\$1,624,782 95

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,810 91
National Bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other National Banks	179,093 68
Due to State Banks and Bankers	284 989 43
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14,556 63
Due to approved reserve agents	71,539 45
Individual deposits subject to check	355,608 48
Cashier's checks outstanding	185 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	145,000 00
Total	\$1,624,782 95

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct 19, 1907.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, October 18.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 50 degrees; 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 48 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .20 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Wednesday, 1.4 feet.

Forecasts.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday, colder in the interior; Sunday fair, light to fresh northwest winds.

Port Calendar—Oct 19.

Sun Rises 6:10 A. M.
Sun Sets 5:19 P. M.
Day's length 11 hrs. 23 min.
High water at Southport 8:18 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 8:48 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. T. N. Thomas leaves today for Warnville, S. C., on a three weeks visit.

—Kenansville News: "Mrs. B. C. Bowden is visiting Mrs. J. C. Shepard in Wilmington for a few days."

—Mrs. P. R. Albright, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Goodwin, on Hillsboro street in Raleigh.

—Mr. J. W. Blake, of Cronly, N. C., was in the city yesterday and made a pleasant call at The Star office.

—Mr. E. B. Williamson, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Whiteville News Reporter: "Mrs. C. G. Richardson and children left yesterday for Wilmington where she will spend a few days with friends and relatives."

—Mr. W. L. Holden, formerly of this city but now residing in New York, is back home for a brief visit and is being pleasantly greeted by his numerous friends.

—Rev. and Mrs. C. R. W. Kegley left Thursday afternoon via Newbern for their new home at Bluefield, W. Va., where Mr. Kegley has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Lutheran Church there. Rev. and Mrs. Kegley will spend a few days in Newbern before going to Bluefield.

—The Raleigh Evening Times of Thursday afternoon says: "Mr. T. Donlan, of Wilmington, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell. Mr. Donlan is superintendent of Oakdale Cemetery, which is one of the prettiest in the south. He is a great landscape gardener and laid out the beautiful grounds of the cemetery, as well as a number of well known places around Wilmington."

MRS. SUSAN BURKHEIMER DEAD.

Good Woman Entered Into Rest Yesterday Evening at Home Here.

Many friends in Wilmington will hear the news with infinite sorrow and many hearts will go out to be loved ones in tender sympathy upon the death of Mrs. Susannah Virginia Burkheimer, widow of the late Washington Burkheimer and a woman held in the highest esteem by all in the circle of her acquaintance, who passed away yesterday evening at 6:50 o'clock at the family home, No. 114 North Fourth street, after an immediate illness of only a day. Mrs. Burkheimer had been in failing health some time, suffering greatly with bronchitis and asthma, but it was only yesterday that her condition became critical and those who anxiously awaited at her bedside saw that the end was drawing near. At the hour named she passed peacefully away as one entering into a long sleep, answering the summons with that Christian resignation and fortitude that was ever a characteristic of her life.

Mrs. Burkheimer was a Miss Jussey before marriage, and was born in Suffolk, Va., 71 years ago last July. Had she lived to her next birthday she would have been 72 years of age, most of her life having been spent in Wilmington. Her husband preceded her to the grave in the year 1879 and upon his death devolved upon her the care and training of seven children, two of whom have passed away in recent years, the other five now surviving, these being Mr. H. Dudley Burkheimer, of Charlotte; Mr. W. L. Burkheimer, of this city; Mrs. R. H. Bowden, Miss Maggie Burkheimer and Mrs. Anson Alligood, also of Wilmington. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Susan E. Thomas, of Arundel county, Maryland, and a large number of grandchildren, all of whom have the sympathy of many in this, their hour of sorrow. The funeral will be conducted from the family home Sunday afternoon at an hour to be determined upon the arrival of the absent members of the family.

Suffered Broken Leg.

A man, 15 years old, a young country who is visiting at 31 North Third street, fell from the right side of the result of the fall under the Wilmington Cotton streets, and could not recover.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the chaplain. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

—The "Holy City" will be the offering for Thursday and Friday nights at the Academy of Music in this city. The play is elaborately staged and will doubtless be well attended.

—Capt. John Burnett, of the British steamer King George, has reported through the British vice consul to the police station the desertion of one Jean Murat, a Greek fireman on board the ship.

—The alarm of fire at 1:35 P. M. yesterday was on account of a small blaze at 420 North Eighth street, owned by Mr. George Heyer and occupied by George Allen, colored. The damage was trifling.

—The attention of the public is called to the fact that hereafter the first car to the beach on Sundays will leave at 9 o'clock instead of at the earlier hour as heretofore. The first car to leave the beach is at 9:45 A. M.

—First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor; Services tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. Seats free; all are welcome.

—Immanuel Presbyterian Church Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor; Services at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. tomorrow. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

—A most remarkable occurrence was the appearance yesterday just off market dock in the river of a flock of seven teal duck. Mr. Ed. Boushee, an ardent sportsman, saw them off shore, got his gun and went out in a boat, killing six of the seven.

—The address of the Rev. Dr. D. Clay Lilly, of Winston-Salem, before the Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian Church in Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall last night, was postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Eliza M. Bellamy. The address will be given on Monday evening.

—The tug Alexander Jones, of this port, was reported as having arrived yesterday morning at Norfolk. She will tow the barge Pocomoke from that port to Wilmington. The barge brings cargo of fertilizer constituents for the Pocomoke Guano Company from Baltimore and is consigned to Mr. B. B. Pridgen, manager.

—Young Lawrence Rowan, who fell from a house near Second and Castle streets, where he was employed as a tinner Thursday afternoon, is a son of Mr. D. A. Rowan. His condition at the hospital is said to be quite serious. Since the fall he has been paralyzed and internal injuries may develop.

—The Rev. D. Clay Lilly, D. D., of Winston-Salem, will be with the pastor and preach for him as the guest of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Sabbath evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to hear him.

—St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor; Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. T. U. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited; seats free.

—A gasoline boat on fire at foot of Dock street called out the department at 7:25 last night in response to an alarm from box 41. A friendly tug in the vicinity turned on a hose and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before any damage of consequence was done the craft.

—At their new home, Second and Nun streets, last evening from 8 to 11 o'clock Rev. J. S. Crowley and Mrs. Crowley delightfully entertained twenty members of the choir of Immanuel Presbyterian Church. During the evening a number of delightful musical selections were rendered and all present voted the host and hostess most agreeable entertainers.

—The Petersburg Index-Appeal says "The first new Spanish peanuts of the crop of 1907 were received here Wednesday by Martin & Sons. They were raised in Mecklenburg county and were sold to the J. B. Worth Company of this city, at \$1.00 per bushel. The nuts were dry and in fine condition, indicating that the crop will come in earlier than was expected."

—Four unimportant cases were disposed of in the police court yesterday, the defendants with a single exception being let off with the minimum fine of \$5 and costs for ordinary cases of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. The single exception was John McNeal, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly at Ninth and Dock streets. He was taxed with \$10 and costs.

—Among Wilmington Presbyterians who will leave next week to attend North Carolina Synod at Hendersonville, N. C., will be Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church; Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., the pastor, and Mr. H. W. Malloy, from the First Church, and Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church. While on his way to Hendersonville Dr. McClure will stop at Columbia and Spartanburg, S. C., spending a short while with relatives and friends.

Judge John W. Akin, president of the Georgia Senate, died at his home in Cartersville early yesterday, aged 49. Judge Akin's death followed closely that of his mother, Mrs. Mary F. Akin, who died Thursday night. Mrs. Akin had suffered a stroke of paralysis and could not recover.

DIED.

—At her residence in Friday morning at 9 o'clock, 18th 1907, MRS. ELIZA M. WELLS, relict of the late Dr. John Akin, died.

Funeral services will be held from late residence, corner Fifth and Market streets this (Saturday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

RAILWAY RATE CASE

Conference in Raleigh Yesterday Amounted to Nothing. (Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct 18.—An all-day conference of the State's attorneys in the railroad rate case today resulted in no definite decision as to the future course of the State. The conference was with Governor Glenn and Chairman McNeill, of Corporation Commission.

Governor Glenn stated this evening it would meet again Tuesday night when it was probable something definite would be decided. In the meantime each one of the participants was to formulate an idea of what ought to be done. One plan of action was suggested today and was taken under advisement.

Judge R. W. Winston, of Durham, stated to several newspaper men that the decision of Judge Pritchard sustaining Standing Master Montgomery in his refusal to allow the State to go farther back into the books of the Southern Railway than 1905 had left the matter of evidence to guess work. He explained that the State was anxious to have expert accountants take account of every ticket and mileage book and thus separate the cost of intra-state from inter-state transportation. This had been done in Kentucky he said. Now the ruling of the court limited the State to experts and certified statements from the Corporation Commission.

There was a general opinion here today that the conference discussed the advisability of putting First Vice President A. B. Andrews on the stand; also going further into the matter of the vouchers of the Southern Railway given by Colonel Andrews to State Senator J. C. DeWry, president of the Evening Times.

Present at the conference today were Judge James E. Shepherd, ex-Governor Charles B. Aycock, ex-Congressman F. A. Woodard, Speaker E. J. Justice and Judge R. W. Winston.

A Domestic Entanglement.

Justice Bornemann yesterday committed to jail Cleveland Kerr, a young white man, charged with an assault with a knife upon his mother-in-law, Mrs. Eliza Rouse, 811 Nixon street; with disorderly conduct toward the same person and under a peace warrant. The amount named was \$100 justified and it was for his appearance for trial Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Kerr made complaint that he could not get justice before Justice Bornemann and the case was continued until another magistrate could be selected for the trial of the cause. Mrs. Rouse was recognized in the sum of \$50 for her appearance also on Tuesday to answer a charge of an assault upon Kerr with an axe.

Classes in Elocution.

Mrs. Curtis Arnall-North has returned from Chattanooga, New York, where she spent the past summer taking advanced instruction in elocution and reading, graduating with distinction from this far-famed institution. Returning she spent some time with her mother in Senola, Ga., but came directly to Wilmington for the purpose of opening again her classes in elocution here this winter. An announcement to this effect is contained in a notice elsewhere in the paper this morning and her former pupils as well as many new ones will be delighted to know that she has decided to resume her instruction in this most pleasing art.



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The constant aching of a bad back, The weariness, the tired feeling, The pains and aches of kidney ills Are serious—if neglected. Dangerous urinary troubles follow. A Wilmington citizen shows you how to avoid them.

J. E. Bloodworth, formerly residing at 30 South Front street and employed at 123 Princess street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they have proven to be a valuable remedy and I believe I am safe in recommending them. My back and kidneys have given me great trouble. I thought I had rheumatism. I had shooting pains through my back and sides which often made me yell right out. If I stood, sat or lay down or kept in any one position for any length of time it was almost impossible for me to move on account of the great pain. I heard some one speak of Doan's Kidney Pills and sent down to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. They completely removed the pains. They are without doubt a valuable remedy for backache."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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for children is the only sensible shoe a child ought to wear; it has a wide broad toe and will not cripple their little feet. Phone us your number. We will send the size you need. Also the Buster Brown School Shoe, the shoe that outwears all other makes.

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This is where you get YOUR MONEY BACK. THIS INDESTRUCTIBLE SUIT FOR \$3.50 is guaranteed to you not to rip; if it does we replace it with a new one.

Boy's Suit with TWO PAIR OF PANTS; this is what every boy wants to be dressed right, one pair of Knickerbockers and one straight pair for the small sum of \$4.00.

Boys' Pants—Our line is complete. Just arrived, a lot of Blue Serges and Fancy Worsteds, sizes from 3 to 17 for 50 to \$1.50 a pair.

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Our stock is now complete. Men's Suits in all sizes, in stouts, slims, single and double breasted. A beautiful line of Black Thibets, Unfinished Worsteds and Grantes; prices ranging from \$10.00 to \$25.00.

One lot of that Sault and Pepper Mixture, Heavy Weight Worsteds, a suit of the best tailoring single and double breasted, price \$15.00.

Brown effects, neat Stripes and Checks, Hard Finished Worsteds, an ideal business suit, price \$15.00.

Every Suit is displayed on our new display racks, which makes it easy to inspect our line.

Men's Pants.—Have just received a consignment of Sweet Orr & Co.'s Union-Made and Schloss-Make Trousers; a complete assortment of patterns, ranging up to \$7.50 a pair.

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WRECK VICTIM KNOWN HERE

Mr. D. Allen Bryant, Travelled in This Section—Greensboro Smash.

The Associated Press telegram to the Star yesterday morning contained only a brief account of the terrible wreck of the Southern Railway train No. 34 near Greensboro late Thursday night. With the additional particulars that came yesterday was the information that four had been killed, Mrs. June Thomas, of Danville, Va., D. Allen Bryant, of Richmond, Va., an unidentified foreigner and the colored freeman of the freight train into which the passenger train dashed full speed. The news of the killing of Mr. Bryant was received with particular sorrow here. He traveled this territory for the Richmond Paper Company and was well liked by all who came in contact with him. In this office he was always a welcome caller when he came to Wilmington and had a number of warm personal friends in Wilmington. His death is sadder still because it was only on his last trip that he had just been married within the month and spoke cheerfully of what the future had in store for him. He was not of the blatant type of commercial traveler but was quiet, unassuming and every inch a gentleman. His death is deplored not only at his home but in Wilmington where he had made all too few visits.

The persons injured in the wreck numbered twenty and all were occupants of the day coaches, those in the Pullman escaping only with a bad shaking up. The injured were removed to the hospital in Greensboro.

INVITED TO WILMINGTON.

St. James' Brotherhood Wants Clerical Delegates to Come Here.

Yesterday's Richmond Times-Dispatch has the following:

"The St. James' Brotherhood, of Wilmington, N. C., invites all clerical delegates who can spare the time to be their guests for a few days of recreation after the General Convention. There is no more delightful climate anywhere than Wilmington has at this season, and almost every form of helpful relaxation is at hand—boating, hunting, fishing, with old-fashioned oyster roasts and informal conferences. In addition to the recreation there will be the interest of viewing historic places, as for instance Lord Cornwallis' headquarters and the stimulus of several addresses on important topics. It is a short trip over the Coast Line from Richmond, and the brotherhood will try to make it well worth the while of those who come. The dates are for the five days following the close of the General Convention. Those who will come are asked to write or wire Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector St. James' Parish, Wilmington, N. C.

"Clergymen of all kinds of churchmanship or no kind of churchmanship, are welcome. Bishops are doubly welcome to leave the 'pedantic sea' for a few days' vacation on the Atlantic sea."

MARLBORO COTTON MILLS

Quarterly Meeting of Board of Directors—Dividend Declared.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
McColl, S. C., Oct. 17.—The quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Marlboro Cotton Mills was held here yesterday and the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. was declared payable 26th instant.

The mills made a fine showing for the past quarter, earning \$72,415.11 or 71 1-2 per cent. net capital stock for the quarter.

The outlook is good for the future, and the plant is in fine condition in every way.

Water in the Cape Fear.

Yesterday's afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "The Cape Fear river at this place is now but a miniature stream and we wish that the lawmakers of the nation could view it at this time. Surely they would vote for our canalization scheme. It would not hurt for some of our own people to take a peep at it also, for they would probably become a little more enthusiastic in their support of this great project. The steamboats of course all remain high and dry, three of them, and a lighter, heavily loaded."

Not Guilty at Jacksonville.

Yesterday's Greensboro Telegram says: "Hon. E. M. Koonce, Onslow county member of the Legislature, telegraphs President Dudley that student Daniel Brown, who was arrested at the A. & M. College last spring for murder, was acquitted at Jacksonville N. C., yesterday."

SPECIAL TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Advance in Rates of Subscription Beginning October 1st.

Beginning October 1, the subscription rates of The Morning Star will be as follows:

By Mail—One year, \$6.00; six months, \$3.00; three months, \$1.50; two months, \$1.25; one month, 75 cents.

By Carrier—Delivered in any part of the city, 50 cents per month either by the month or year.

This moderate advance has been deferred until it has become absolutely necessary on account of the largely increased cost involved in the production of newspapers.

For many years the subscription price of The Morning Star has been lower than that of any other paper of its class in the State.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drought are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Early Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by R. H. Bellamy's drug store 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

THE GENERAL CONVENTION

Considerable Business Transacted. Politics Cropped Out.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Richmond, Va., Oct. 18.—The selection of Rev. Edward Jennings Knight, of Trenton, N. J., to take charge of the missionary district of Western Colorado, the organization of a board of missions, creation of a committee to draft a canon regarding suffragan bishops, refusal of the House of Deputies to reconsider its position as to the Standard Bible and a host of other acts marking the closing hours of the great gathering occupied today's sessions of the triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

The bishops authorized the printing of the Prayer Book in the Spanish language.

It was agreed that a committee to consist of five bishops, five clergymen and five lay delegates be appointed to draw up a canon regarding suffragan bishops and to make their report at the next General Convention.

The Rev. Dr. Calisch, rabbi of Beth Ahabax, synagogue, in an address before the House of Bishops extended the greetings of his church.

The House of Deputies today refused to reconsider its action regarding the question of Standard Bible. The house last night voted overwhelmingly against permitting the use of the revised version of the Bible in the church services and also by a great majority adopted an amendment to the constitution declaring the King James, or authorized version to be the Standard Bible.

Dr. Parks, of New York, read to the deputies the report of the committee on the election of the board of missions, to serve during the next three years. George P. Thomas, of Pennsylvania, was re-elected treasurer of the board and Rev. Arthur S. Lloyd secretary. The report was adopted.

Rev. Dr. Wilmer, of Georgia, a deputy, rising to a question of personal privilege, declared that he never said, as had been reported, that "the Bible was the most fruitful source of infidelity in the world." What he said was that "calling the Bible the word of God" was the most fruitful source of infidelity in the world. The Bible, he said, contained the word of God.

The General Convention will close with services at Holy Trinity Church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the same services will be held as marked the opening two weeks ago. Tomorrow morning both houses will hold business sessions, the House of Bishops having many measures still to dispose of, while the House of Deputies will have but little, and that of a routine nature.

Tonight the principal debate occurred over the resolution proposed by Dr. Huntington, of New York, who moved to strike out the 39 articles, saying they were antiquated.

The matter was finally left to a joint committee which will report to the next General Convention.

The matters of open pulpits and of provinces are yet to be finally determined.

The sensation of the night was the message from the House of Bishops regarding the evils existing in the Philippine Islands.

Debate on the message in the lower house was warm and finally politics cropped up, even the tariff coming in for discussion. The question was referred to a joint commission.

CARNEGIE HERO AWARDS.

Atlanta Negro Gets Medal and Five Hundred Dollars.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Pittsburg, Oct. 18.—The regular fall meeting of the Carnegie Hero Commission was held today in the Carnegie Building, this city, and tonight F. M. Wilmut, the secretary, announced that 24 persons throughout the country had received awards for bravery.

The number is the largest in the history of the commission. With tonight's awards 126 persons have benefited by the hero fund and 1,121 persons have been refused either money or medal.

For the first time since the beginning of the hero fund a negro John B. Hall, of Atlanta, Ga., received an award tonight. The following were among the awards:

Leon Harris, 15 years old, Pensacola, Fla., bronze medal and \$500, for educational purposes.

John B. Hill, 33 years old, a negro, Atlanta, Ga., bronze medal and \$500 to reimburse him account loss sustained by being injured. Hill saved several persons during a runaway accident. He was recovering from an operation and was injured again.

Ralph F. Berlin, 22 years old, Santa Rosa Island, Florida, bronze medal. Saved three from drowning in Pensacola Bay.

Lochlin M. Winn, 30 years old, Aniston, Ala., silver medal. Saved three from drowning in Spencer's Mill pond, Clayton, Ala.

WOMEN KIDNAPERS' TRIAL

Miss Mae Bradley Refuses to Tell Her Part in It.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, Oct. 18.—Declaring that she would rather die than disgrace her parents, Miss Mae Bradley, who was arrested on the charge of aiding Mrs. Maud Clark to kidnap her son, Carlton, aged five, from Dr. C. Kremer, of Lexington avenue, refused to answer questions put to her in police court today by Assistant District Attorney Krotel concerning them. Finally when pressed for an answer she faintly said: "The case was then adjourned until Monday. During an unguarded moment between her sobs, Miss Bradley said that her parents are poor and wealthy but she would not disgrace them by dragging them into the case. Dr. Kremer testified that the boy Carlton had been turned over to him by the boy's father and later was legally adopted.

According to the testimony of Miss Malvina Kremer, the physician's sister, she had gone for a walk with the boy, when Mrs. Clark appeared, took the child and running to a cab drove rapidly away. Miss Kremer said Miss Bradley caught her arm and held her saying she was a detective. Miss Bradley, she said, also struck her in the face. Mrs. Clark took the boy to Boston but has not been arrested.

ROOSEVELT KILLED BLACK BEAR

Got Shot After Waiting Opportunity Long Time.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New Orleans, Oct. 18.—News of the killing of a big black bear by President Roosevelt in the canebrakes near Bear Lake Louisiana, reached New Orleans today in a telegram to John M. Parker, one of the gentlemen who invited the President to hunt in the State, and who himself was a member of the hunting party until business required his returning to New Orleans several days ago.

The telegram to Mr. Parker was signed by Leo Shields, another member of the party and read as follows: "President Roosevelt killed a great big bear. Went into thicket this afternoon."

No particulars were stated in the telegram.

It was announced yesterday that the President had started out early and that with fresh and better dogs trails had been struck in the morning and were being followed in a lively manner.

Stamboul, La., Oct. 18.—An arrival from Bear Lake brings the information that the President shot the bear he killed yesterday as it came out of the canebrake near the camp. The animal had been chased for half a day by Ben Lilley and a negro assistant who followed close upon the heels of the hounds. It fell after the first shot, which was planted just back of the shoulder. The animal weighed 375 pounds, which is considered large for bears in this vicinity.

KRUGER'S GRAVE DESECRATED

Marble Bust of Boer President Chipped by Vandals.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)
Johannesburg, Transvaal, Oct. 18.—Painful sensation has been caused by the discovery that the grave of President Kruger in the cemetery at Pretoria has been desecrated. The marble bust of the ex-president has been torn from its base and badly chipped. Other graves in the vicinity, including that of Kruger's grandchild also were slightly damaged. The desecration is believed to be the work of thieves who expected that a reward would be offered for the bust, but which they found too heavy to carry off. Since the desecration in 1904 of the grave at Pretoria of Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig Holstein, who died of fever in South Africa, October 29, 1900, while serving in the British army, the police have paid nightly visits to the cemetery.

MASSACHUSETTS DEMOCRATS.

There Will Be Two Candidates for Governor.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Boston, Mass., Oct. 18.—The ballot law commission announced late today that it had decided that Henry M. Whitney, of Boston, was legally nominated for governor at the Democratic convention at Springfield. As both Mr. Whitney and General Bartlett have already filed nomination papers, both will be on the ballot as candidates for governor at the election next month, but by today's decision only Mr. Whitney will have the right to use the designation "Democratic" in connection with his candidacy.

ENGINEER HOLLTON SUCCUMBS

One More Death From Wreck Near Greensboro.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 18.—C. E. Hollton, engineer on Southern Railway passenger train No. 34 which was wrecked at Rudd last night, died of his injuries at St. Leo's hospital in this city at 11:30 o'clock tonight.

H. C. Leonard, the flagman who is said to be responsible for the wreck, is still missing. The officials of the Southern are making every effort to locate him.

—Sampson Democrat: There are likely more chufas in Sampson this year than in a long time, if ever. We were told the other day that the patch of Mr. T. N. Mathis, of Taylor's Bridge is a perfect sight, the bunches are so full and we hear that he has the hogs to eat them. There are many farmers who can't say this, for the cholera has killed an abundance of them.

—Whiteville News Reporter: On last Saturday morning the dead body of Mr. Furney Stevens, son of Mr. W. H. Stevens, a young man in the employ of Mr. James L. Powell at the latter's store, was found along side of the track of the Whiteville Lumber Company's railway. The coroner's jury rendered the verdict that the deceased met his death by being struck by the train. He had left the night before to go to his home and the presumption is that he was killed by the train, while walking along the track.

—A Criminal Attack on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

CURE OF INSOMNIA.

The soporific powers of warm milk are well known, but care should be taken that the milk does not quite boil.

A Swedish method of producing sleep is to wring out a handkerchief in icy cold water and lay it across the eyes, when it is said to act like magic.

To many constitutions a warm bath taken immediately before going to bed is very soothing and produces drowsiness, while an apple eaten as the last thing is equally effective.

The homely boiled onion is another sovereign remedy, or an onion may be sliced and eaten raw, the disagreeable taste being removed by taking a little sugar or a pinch of tea afterward.

A Hindoo practice to induce sleep is to take deep inhalations, expelling the air alternately through each nostril, keeping the other closed with the finger. This has a wonderfully quieting effect.

Securing a "Peace Offering."

In the days of the East India company a certain young officer, says the author of "Recollections of a Bison and Tiger Hunter," committed an indiscretion. There was nothing in the act which touched his honor, but it was a mistake, and he received a hint that his services would shortly be dispensed with. Being full of grit, he endeavored his brains to find a way out of the difficulty.

Just at that time a notorious rebel was wanted by the government, and a large reward had been offered for his capture. The officer learned that the rebel went regularly to a sacred pool about midday to bathe, but the neighborhood of the pool was swarming with mutineers.

Nothing daunted, he assumed the garb of a Brahman and, having stationed a vehicle at a spot not far from the pool, boldly entered the water with a pair of steel handcuffs and a gag hidden about his waist.

The young officer performed his task. Before the man could obtain assistance he and his captor were in the buggy manacled to each other, and the vehicle never stopped until government house was reached and the "peace offering" handed over to a high official to be dealt with.

The officer first gagged the rebel and then dragged him out of the water. His daring and resource saved him his commission.

New Phase of the Moon.

"What made you go on so about the moon last night? It is the same old moon."

"I know. But I was with a new girl."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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MRS. CURTIS ARNALL-NORTH announces the beginning of her class in Elocution, Vocal Expression, Oratory and Physical Culture on Monday October 28th. Pupils now being enrolled. Studio 313 Grace street. Phone 1625. Oct 19 tu thu sat 3t

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady with experience. Address M., care Morning Star. oc 19-2*

A COLORED BOY about 14 years old is wanted at the Star office for general work. oc 19-1f

STOLEN—One Iver Johnson bicycle, No. 129,151 was stolen Tuesday afternoon, October 15th, 1907. Reward if returned to Queen City Cycle Company, No. 209 Market street. oc 18 3t

FOR RENT—Basement 16x50, well floored; very desirable for storage. H. F. Wilder, Real Estate Agent. oct 18 2t.

THE GILBERT HOUSE, corner of Front and Princess street, now comfortable for winter, steam heat, electric lights, hot and cold water, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day, rates by the week and table board. A. M. Gilbert. oc 17 ft

OYSTERS AT CANDYCAPP'S—In any style. Best attention given to ladies. Candles, fruits, cigars and egg flips always going on. Telephone 343. Candyapps. oc 13-1f

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER and Notary Public. Legal, commercial, medical and general typewriting and stenographic work. Mimeographing and form letters. Phone 359. Meares Harless, 114 Princess street.. se 27-1m

AGENTS WANTED—A few live men in Easter Carolina can get a most desirable contract for the best selling Building & Loan and Insurance proposition of the year. Our insured stock is interesting to everybody. Apply giving references to Southern Mutual Home & Real Estate Co., 209 North Front street. se 8 ft

TWO YOUNG MEN experienced in "making ready" and running job presses and with one or two years practical experience in hand composition may secure employment at good wages by applying at or addressing the Morning Star. oct 10 ft

FOR RENT—A furnished upstairs room for gentlemen. Modern conveniences. Address "K," care Star office or Phone 1425. oc 13-1f

A YOUNG MAN with one or two years experience, in plain ruling and binding may secure a good situation by making application at The Star office. tt

A LARGE LOT of ink barrels and kegs for sale cheap. Apply at the Star office. oct 6 ft

FOR SALE—Pea Vine and crab grass hay by the ton or car load, delivered in the city. Owen Martindale, Phone 857 call 1. oct 16 4t

DENTISTRY—Dr. Matthews wishes to announce that he has returned to the city. His office will be at the same place, 123 Market street. Dr. Matthews wishes further to announce that he will make a specialty of treating diseases of the mouth and of the administration of anesthetics for all gentle and minor surgical operations. se 29 ft

WANTED—For U. S. Army: able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted now for service in Cuba. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 101 Princess st., Wilmington, N. C. au 15 to de 31

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Our new department is teeming with the latest creations in Jewelry, Silverware and Cut Glass. In addition to our immense line of Vases, Art Pottery, Dinner Sets, and Fine China Bric-a-Brac.

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The Latest Ideas in Fashionable Veilings including the Celebrated Stronghair		
All size meshes, every style dotting and in all colors. It is the veiling you want. Don't take our word for it, but come in and see.		
New Gloves	A. D. Brown's "The Modest Price Store"	New Braids

oc 17-1f

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For Street and Evening Wear

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This is to notify my friends and patrons and any others who may be interested, that I have moved my office from 16 Princess St., to the Odd Fellows' Building, Room 15. I have houses, building lots, cemetery lots, farms, timber lands, bank stock, mill stock and mercantile stock from Charleston, W. Va., to Titusville, Fla., for sale, a few good renting propositions. Call and see me at Room 15, Odd Fellows' Building.

G. W. SHEPARD

The Real Estate Man.

oc 5-1f

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of paying more for an article through prejudice, than you can buy for less, that's just as good?

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M. SELIGMAN, MANAGER.
Phone 248 for quick delivery.

se 22-1f

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Sampson Democrat: The Hon. W. W. Kitchin will speak in the court house in Clinton on Tuesday, October 22nd, court week. He is one of the State's praiseworthy men and a magnetic and interesting speaker.

—Newbern Sun: Mr. G. W. Ribble, of Richmond, Va., district superintendent of the Postal Telegraph company, arrived in the city last night. The company has an office fitted up under the Hazelton hotel. They expect to throw their doors open today for business.

—Sampson Democrat: A request made by the Clinton Bar Association of the Governor for a two weeks special term of court for the trial of civil cases only, has been granted, and this court will begin on the second Monday in December. Judge W. R. Allen will preside.

—Whiteville News Reporter: We note the establishment of an industry that will mean much for our county. Mr. Oscar High, our progressive merchant and brick manufacturer has decided to install machinery for the manufacture of drainage tiling. This will go along ways towards settling the drainage question which is by far the most important of an agricultural problem.

—Sampson Democrat: Mr. W. J. Weeks brought to the Farmers' Warehouse, Clinton last week, four two-horse wagon loads of tobacco and sold it for \$1,029.62 and the loads were not very heavy ones either, only 6,015 pounds. Mr. Weeks is a veteran tobacco raiser of the county. We don't mean that he is an old man, not at all. When anyone gets money out of tobacco he gets a good share, too. He sold on a good market. See?

—Lumberton Robesonian: Messrs. Durham and O. C. Dees, of Lumberton, who buy and sell and trade horses under the name of Dees Bros., went to Elizabethtown last Saturday with a bunch of horses, as it has been their custom to do during court at that town for some years. When they got to Elizabethtown Saturday and started to stake out their horses they found that Paris green had been scattered about on the grass and weeds, apparently with intent to poison the horses. There has been some discussion in the papers lately about the meanest man. The man who would do a trick like that is certainly in the meanest man class.

—Lumberton Robesonian: Eleven miles of the Virginia and Carolina Southern road are now being used and there are enough rails on hand to extend the road to St. Paul's, 13 miles from Lumberton. The road is completed to Wardmore (McDiarmid's mill), and there is a tram way from that point to the Coast Line at Renner. One engine has been engaged for some days in hauling logs over this stretch of road, and another engine arrived Saturday. The Virginia and Carolina Southern hasn't many miles yet, but it has already got down to its knitting. The first station out from Lumberton rejoices in the name of Bee Gee.

—Sampson Democrat: Mr. John T. Martin showed us the other day a clay pipe found by Mr. Frank Glover, of Fayetteville, under the old residence standing on "Haymount", which he was taking down, that was evidently made in the long ago. The pipe had on one side the picture of an eagle, and on the other a coat of arms. The building, too, was built in the olden days. Mr. Glover says that all the posts were tenoned into the plates and pinned, and in addition to this, an iron strap was fastened to each joint by iron bolts, and the other end fastened around the plates with bolts also. Can any one tell when this house was built, or when such a mould was used in making pipes?

—Sampson Democrat: The session of the Eastern Baptist Association held in Clinton was well attended and was, or appeared to be, a pleasure to all in attendance. Those who expressed themselves said that the people of Clinton and the surrounding country entertained the body well and made their guests feel welcome, all of which we are pleased to hear. The reports from the various churches were, in the main, highly gratifying along every line of church work, showing great progress and development. The preaching and also the speeches on the different subjects were inspiring, encouraging and uplifting and we should be glad to comment in detail upon this feature, if we could do so. The former officers of the Association were re-elected, C. E. Daniel, Moderator; A. F. Robinson, clerk; and Maury Ward, treasurer; in each case the entire vote being cast for the present incumbent, which is abundant evidence of their proficiency in the performance of duty. The next Association goes to Warsaw.

His Dear Old Mother.

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affects the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children, too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist, 50c.

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Oct 13 tf

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SOUTHERN SECURITIES

Cotton Mill Stocks a Specialty
Oct 10-tf

TO THE BEACH Suburban Schedule

(In Effect Sunday, Oct. 13th, 1907.)
Daily Except Sunday.

Wilmington	Wrightsville	Beach
Eastbound	Westbound	Westbound
7:00 A.M.	6:25 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
7:30 A.M.	7:55 A.M.	8:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	8:25 A.M.	9:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	9:25 A.M.	10:45 A.M.
11:30 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	12:25 P.M.	1:45 P.M.
2:30 P.M.	1:55 P.M.	3:15 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	3:25 P.M.	4:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	4:25 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	5:25 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
6:15 P.M.	6:25 P.M.	7:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	7:25 P.M.	8:15 P.M.
8:00 P.M.	7:55 P.M.	8:45 P.M.
9:30 P.M.	8:25 P.M.	10:15 P.M.
11:00 P.M.	10:25 P.M.	

Freight Schedule
Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (daily except Sunday).
Freight received at Ninth and Orange from 3 to 4 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE
Cars will be operated between Front and Princess and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess at 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving Seventeenth and Market from 7 A. M. until 10 P. M. All Suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

Wilmington	Wrightsville	Beach
Eastbound	Westbound	Westbound
9:00 A.M.	9:55 A.M.	9:45 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	10:45 A.M.
11:30 A.M.	12:25 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:55 P.M.	1:45 P.M.
2:30 P.M.	3:25 P.M.	3:15 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	4:25 P.M.	4:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	5:25 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	6:25 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
6:15 P.M.	7:25 P.M.	7:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:25 P.M.	8:15 P.M.
8:00 P.M.	9:25 P.M.	9:15 P.M.
9:30 P.M.	10:25 P.M.	10:15 P.M.
11:00 P.M.	11:25 P.M.	

Carolina Place Schedule. (Sundays)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. to 9:50 P. M.
Leave 17th and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. to 10 P. M. Oct 13-tf

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Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Navahoe, Saturday, Oct. 19, 1907.

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Phone 764.

STATEMENT CONDITION

The Murchison National Bank

of Wilmington, N. C.
At the close of business October 1st, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$2,100,519 60
U. S. Bonds (at par) 350,000 00
Bank Building 25,000 00
Cash 942,318 21

\$3,417,837 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital \$ 500,000 00
Surplus and Net Profits 239,195 69
Circulation 300,000 00
Deposits 2,278,642 12
U. S. Bond Account 100,000 00

\$3,417,837 81

DEPOSITS
October 1st, 1905, \$1,763,509 62
October 1st, 1906, \$2,041,773 43
October 1st, 1907, \$2,278,642 12
Oct 5-tf

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect August 27th, 1907.

NOTICE
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 pm
Ar. Norfolk	8:25 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Wilson	1:58 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:42 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	10:05 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:45 am	11:20 am
Ar. Philadelphia	4:25 am	1:41 pm
Ar. New York	7:23 am	4:15 pm

SOUTHBOUND.	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:55 am	12:15 am
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:40 am
Ar. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Ar. Norfolk	6:10 pm	8:30 am
Ar. Richmond	7:25 pm	9:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:57 pm	11:23 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	11:02 pm	12:15 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:46 pm	1:58 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:12 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:35 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm
Ar. Colbia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm
Ar. Ch'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm
Ar. Sav'n'h	6:45 pm	2:46 am
Ar. J'kville	9:00 am	5:30 pm
Ar. Tampa	7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 am	10:20 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:30 am	7:55 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:41 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:57 pm	6:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	8:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	1:10 am	1:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound.	Eastbound.
Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am
Lv. Payetteville	12:10 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm
Ar. Sanford	8:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.	North-bound.	South-bound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	9:35 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east, also between Wilmington and Norfolk.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, firm 51 cents.
ROBIN—Market, quiet \$3.85 per barrel of 280 pounds.
TAR—Firm \$2.30.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm \$2.75 per barrel for hard, \$4.00 for dip and \$4.00 for virgin.
 Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm 65 1-4c; rosin, firm \$3.65; tar, firm \$2.20; crude turpentine, \$3.25, \$4.50; \$4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 42
 Rosin 177
 Tar 79
 Crude Turpentine 69
 Receipts—Same day last year, 45 casks spirits turpentine; 85 barrels rosin; 33 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11 3-16 cents for middling.
 Same day last year—Firm 10 3-4 cents for middling.
 Receipts—4,985 bales; same day last year, 2,462 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime \$1.40; extra prime, \$1.50; fancy, \$1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1, \$1.15; fancy, \$1.20@1.25; Spanish, \$1.50@1.60.

CORN—Firm, 80@82 1-2 per bushel for white; 78@80 for mixed.
N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, 16c per pound; shoulders, 13@14c; sides, 13@14.

EGGS—Firm, 25c per dozen.
CHICKENS—Firm at 20@40c for small; grown, firm, 35@45c.
BEEFWAX—Firm at 27 to 28.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Firm at 10c per pound.

TURKEYS—Firm at 15c. on foot; 20c dressed.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—The fall in prices in some stocks today equals that in some of the panic periods of the past. The market was at times, in a condition bordering on demoralization. Conditions at no time, however, slipped into actual panic, although there was a ruthless slaughter of values that bore a close resemblance thereto. At no time, however, was the whole list embraced in the slump. Another feature of the market compared with the slumping periods of the past is the comparatively small volume of the trading, dealings for the day being but a little over a million shares compared with 2,000,000 to over 3,000,000 shares in similar periods of past markets. This is the result of the retirement from Wall street for many months past of some of the big semi-professional speculative plungers whose manipulative tactics made up much of the total of great days in the past. The weakness today at first was pretty closely confined to the copper stocks and disposition to get out of holdings seemed to be general. It was evident that urgent pressure on the part of money lenders was a factor in the crash in American Smelting and the forced liquidation in that stock was associated with the cleaning up process going on amongst the banks. The closing tone was weak and unsettled in spite of the considerable rally of the last hour.

Bonds were lower, but were not notably affected by the liquidation of stocks. Total sales, par value, 2,414,000. United States 4s declined 1-4 per cent on call. Total sales of stocks today were 1,097,000 shares.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

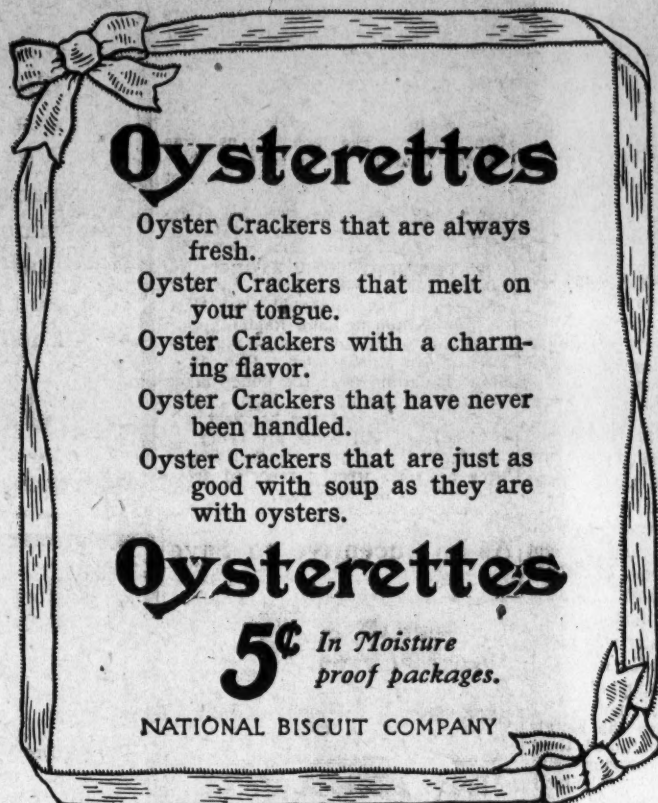
New York, Oct. 18.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:
 Galveston 332,425
 New Orleans 118,347
 Mobile 45,864
 Savannah 404,536
 Charleston 63,085
 Wilmington 143,905
 Norfolk 76,341
 Baltimore 1,595
 Boston 391
 Philadelphia 509
 San Francisco 34,709
 Port Townsend 1,214
 Pensacola 12,576
 Jacksonville 860
 Minor Ports 9,596
 Total 1,246,253

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—The cotton market was very nervous and irregular during today's session, with the close steady at a net advance of 6 points to a decline of 6 points. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales. The opening was steady at a net advance of 2 to 7 points, with December selling at 11.33 on the call, as a result of covering and bull support, encouraged by firm cables and an unfavorable opinion of the weather map. The market soon weakened, however, under realizing and increased offerings from local bears who were influenced by the reported failure of a Southwestern banking firm, and during the early afternoon prices showed a loss of about 3 to 6 points under Wall Street selling, which followed the weakness in the stock market. The close was steady without much change in prices. Liverpool was steady, owing to recent reports, which have been confirmed, of a short Indian crop, and due partly to steadiness of Southern spot markets, which are reported as unchanged to 1-8c higher. Frost was predicted for the Western belt tonight.

Receipts at the ports today 33,290 bales, against 33,239 last week, and 3,708 last year. For the week, 230,000 bales, against 239,771 last week, and 370,477 last year. Today's re-



Oysterettes

Oyster Crackers that are always fresh.
 Oyster Crackers that melt on your tongue.
 Oyster Crackers with a charming flavor.
 Oyster Crackers that have never been handled.
 Oyster Crackers that are just as good with soup as they are with oysters.

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5¢ In Moisture proof packages.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

ceipts at New Orleans, 3,195 bales, against 6,297 last year.
 Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands, 11.75; middling Gulf, 12; aless, 1,300 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	Close.
October	11.03	11.02
November	11.05	11.05
December	11.25	11.22
January	10.88	10.88
February	10.90	10.88
March	10.89	10.87
April	10.90	10.86
May	10.89	10.85
June	10.81	10.78
July	10.79	10.78
August	10.75	10.72

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—FLOUR—Easier; Minnesota patents, 5.60@6.00; rye flour, steady.

BUCKWHEAT—Steady.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot, weak; No. 2 red, 1.07 1-2 elevator. Options irregular; December, 1.11 1-2; May, 1.13.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2, 72 1-2 elevator; No. 2 white, 73 3-4. Options, 1 1-8 to 1 1-2 net lower; December, 72 1-4; May, 69 5-16.

OATS—Spot, steady; natural white, 58 1-2@62.

LARD—Steady; Western prime, 9.40@9.50; refined, barely steady; continent, 9.85; S. A., 10.75; compound, 8 3-4@9.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Quiet.

ROBIN—Firm; strained, common to good, 4.40.

TURPENTINE—Steady, 55 1-2@56.

RICE—Firm; molasses, 118.347.

MOLASSES—Dull.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.40; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.90; molasses sugar, 3.05; refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot, steady; Santos, No. 4, 8 1-8; mild, steady; Cordova, 9 1-2@12 3-4. Futures opened steady and closed quiet net 5 points lower.

FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irregular; Main, per sack, 1.00@2.10; Southern sweets, per barrel, 1.50@1.55.

CABBAGES—Unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm with a good trade in futures. Prime crude, 34; prime Summer yellow, 51; off Summer yellow, 46@49; good off Summer yellow, 46@48 3-4; prime white, 55@57; prime Winter yellow, 55@57.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg 105

U. S. refunding 2s cou 105

U. S. 3s reg 101 3-4

U. S. 3s cou 102 1-2

U. S. new 4s reg ex int 120 3-4

U. S. new 4s cou 122 1-4

American Tobacco Co. 4s 60 1-8

American Tobacco Co. 6s 90

Atlantic Coast Line 82

Baltimore & Ohio 4s 96 1-4

L. & N. Unified 4s 95 3-4

Seaboard Air Line 64

Southern Railway 98 7-8

U. S. Steel 2nd 5s 91 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper 46 1-2

American Car & Foundry 28 1-2

Amr. Car & Foundry pfd 84

American Cotton Oil 29 3-4

American Cotton Oil pfd 70

American Locomotive pfd 94

American Smelting & Ref 63 5-8

Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd 83 5-8

American Sugar Refining 105 1-4

American Tobacco pfd cert 70

Atchafson 78 7-8

Atchafson pfd 85 3-8

Atlantic Coast Line 66

Baltimore & Ohio 84 3-4

Baltimore & Ohio pfd 82

Chesapeake & Ohio 28 1-4

Kansas City Southern 22 7-8

Kansas City Southern pfd 50 1-4

L. & N. 99 1-4

New York Central 101

Norfolk & Western 66 1-4

Norfolk & Western pfd 77

Pennsylvania 116 1-8

People's Gas 79 3-4

Reading 85

Reading 1st pfd 73

Reading 2nd pfd 71
 Rock Island Co 15
 Rock Island Co. pfd 41 1-2
 Southern Pacific 70 1-2
 Southern Pacific pfd 106 1-2
 Southern Railway 11 7-8
 Southern Railway pfd 44 1-2
 Tenn. Coal & Iron 135
 U. S. Steel 22 1-2
 U. S. Steel pfd 82 1-4
 Va-Car. Chemical 16
 Va-Car. Chemical pfd 86
 Seaboard Air Line 402
 Standard Oil 66
 Western Union 66

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts, 8,531.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 3-8; net receipts, 3,195.

Mobile—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 1,815.

Savannah—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 10,629.

Charleston—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 23,807.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 4,985.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts, 3,856.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4; net receipts, 7,30.

New York—Steady, 11.75; net receipts, 4,760.

Boston—Steady, 11.75; net receipts, 283.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12; net receipts, 25.

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Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 38,290; Great Britain, 15,537; Continent, 8,714; stock, 564,725.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 270,103; Great Britain, 99,295; France, 16,279; Continent, 63,860; Japan, 1,723.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 1,246,253; Great Britain, 373,341; France, 95,621; Continent, 329,921; Japan, 2,059; Mexico, 200.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 11,327.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-16; net receipts, 2,242.

Memphis—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts, 2,871.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-4.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 417.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts, 204.

Total today—Net receipts, 17,061; gross receipts, 18,625; shipments, 18,720; sales, 5,903; stock, 151,804.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 18.—Demoralization in the stock market caused a fresh slump of nearly three cents per bushel in wheat prices on the local exchanges today. Part of the loss, however, was regained by covering by shorts. At the close December showed a net loss of 1 5-8@1 3-4. Corn was down, 1c. Oats were 1-2@1 5-8. Provisions were 2 1-2@5@7 1-2 lower.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—December, 1.01; May, 1.06 3-4; July, 1.00 1-2.

Corn—December, 60; May, 61 1-4 to 3-8; July, 61.

Oats—December, 53 1-8; May, 55 3-8; July, 49 3-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—January, 15.72 1-2; May, 16.07 1-2.

Lard, per 100 pounds—9.17 1-2; January, 8.97 1-2; May, 9.12 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—January, 8.07 1-2; May, 8.32 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour weak; No. 2 spring wheat 1.14 to 1.15; No. 3 1.02 to 1.13; No. 2 red 98 3-8 to 99 1-2; No. 2 corn 62 3-4; No. 2 yellow 63 1-4; No. 2 oats 52 1-2; 3 white 49 1-2 to 53 1-2; No. 2 rye 85; short ribs, sides (loose) 7.75 to 8.50; mess pork, per barrel 14.70 to 14.75; lard, per 100 pounds 9.17 1-2; short clear sides (boxed) 8.25 to 8.75; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

READ THE STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Oct. 18.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices 1 to 3 points higher. American middling, fair 7.14; good middling, 6.74; middling, 6.54; low middling, 6.18; good ordinary, 5.60; ordinary, 5.00. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 7,700 American. Receipts, 30,200, all American. Futures opened steady and closed steady; American middling, G. O. C.: October, 6.21 1-2; October and November, 6.14; November and December, 6.05; December and January, 6.00 1-2; January and February, 5.96; February and March, 5.94; March and April, 5.92; April and May, 5.91; May and June, 5.98; June and July, 5.88; July and August, 5.85.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—Money on call strong and higher 5 to 10 per cent., ruling rate 6. Closing bid 6, offered at 6. Time loans firm but steady quiet, sixty days 6 per cent., ninety days 6 per cent., six months 6 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper 7 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in demand and at 4.8615 to 4.8620 for demand and at 4.8220 to 25 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.81 3-4. Bar silver 60. Mexican dollars 47 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—The dry goods market was quiet today with prices tending downward when goods were offered from second hands. The jobbing trade was quiet. Cotton yarns were weak. The wool market was strong and large sales of carpet wools were reported.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 18.—Turpentine, steady 55 1-2 to 56; rosin, firm; strained, common to good, 4.40.
 Savannah, Oct. 18.—Turpentine, firm 51 1-2@51 3-4; sales, 531; receipts, 749; shipments, 110. Rosin, firm; receipts, 2,256; shipments, 359; stock, 81,971. Quote: A. B. C. 4.25; D. 4.30; E. 4.40; F. 4.55; G. 4.57 1-2; H. 4.65; I. 4.67 1-2; K. 4.67 1-2; M. 4.85; N. 5.15; W. 5.70; W.W. 5.90; sales, 2,095.

Charleston, Oct. 18.—Spirits turpentine, firm 51 1-4; sales, none. Rosin, firm; sales, none. A. B. C. 4.20@4.25; E. 4.35; F. 4.45@4.50; G. 4.47 1-2@4.52 1-2; H. 4.60; I. 4.62 1-2; K. 4.65@4.70; M. 4.85@5.00; N. 5.15@5.25; W. 5.65; W.W. 5.85.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Edge, Elizabethtown, Fred Powell.

Br. steamer Inca, 1,931 tons, Cooper, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

CLEARED.

Br. steamer Thomas Wayman, Johnson, Havre, France, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

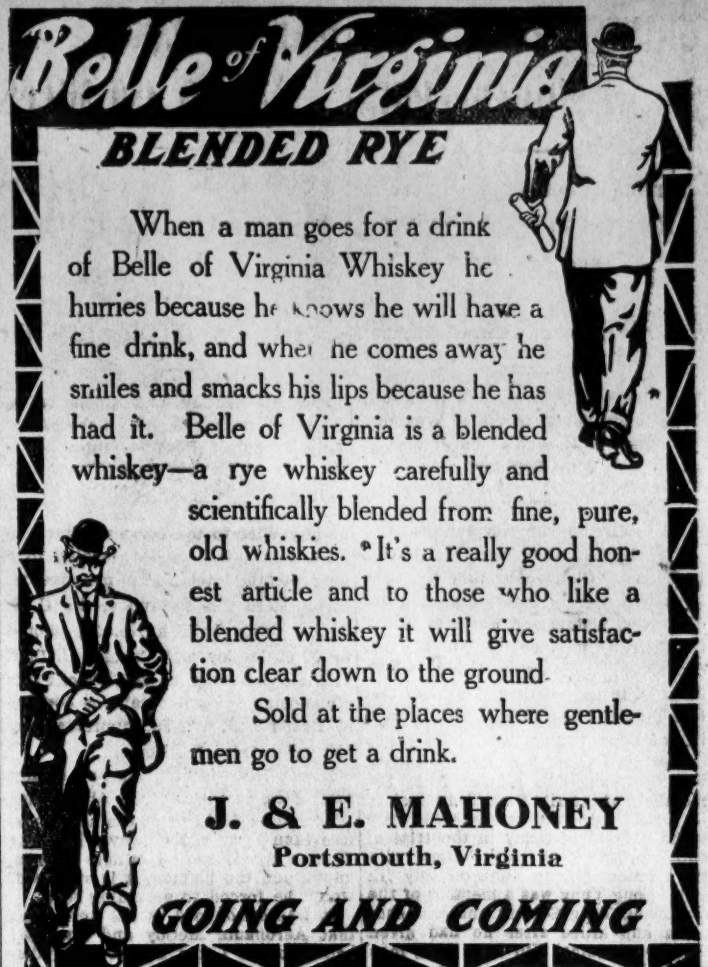
Exports—Foreign.

Havre, France—Br. steamer Thos. Wayman, 6,614 bales cotton, valued at \$430,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 18, 1907.
 C. C. Railroad—75 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 35 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar.
 W. & W. Railroad—874 bales cotton, W. C. & A. Railroad—3,280 bales



Belle of Virginia
BLENDED RYE

When a man goes for a drink of Belle of Virginia Whiskey he hur

CHINESE RIOT IN PHILADELPHIA

Warring Factions of Celestials
Resorted to Pistols, Knives
and Hatchets.

TWO WERE KILLED IN MELEE

Two Chinks Killed Were Witnesses in
Cluse Murder Case Which Was on
Trial — Porbable Murderers
Were Captured.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—The warring
factions of Chinese in this city who
have periodically resorted to the use
of knives, pistols and hatchets to set-
tle their dispute, engaged in a fierce
combat in Chinatown today, which
resulted in the death of Lee Dick and
Lee Ting and the probable fatal shoot-
ing of Leoy Tong.

The authorities say that the killing
was the result of a plan made by the
members of the Hip Sing Tong Society
to assassinate witnesses who were to
have testified today in the trial of
two Hip Sing Tong men charged with
the murder of Long Yung on July 7th
last. Long Yung was a member of the
On Leung Tong Society and was shot
down and killed after he had given
testimony against Hip Sing Tong men
in another murder trial.

Just as the Hip Sing Tong men were
placed on trial today for the murder
of Yung Che, Chinese who the police
say were brought here from New York
Boston, San Francisco and other cities,
began shooting in the streets of China-
town and riddled with bullets Lee
Dick and Lee Ting, a friend. Both
were members of the On Leung Tong,
and Dick was to have been the star
witness against the Hip Sing men in
the trial. He was on his way to court
when he was shot down and killed
and the case was postponed. Members
of the Leung Tong faction ran from
their headquarters and began shooting
when the first shots were fired and
Leoy Tong, a Hip Sing follower, was
dangerously wounded. A general fight
followed in which many heads were
battered and several were slightly in-
jured. Wholesale arrests were made
by police who descended on the Chi-
nese settlement.

Among those arrested were Ed
Chin, of San Francisco, How Sing
Dock, of Boston, and Tong Plank,
said to be from New York. They were
captured at the ferries as they were
preparing to leave town. The men
were heavily armed. In their pockets
were found a number of empty cart-
ridges.

HARRIMAN IS IMPATIENT

Another Postponement of Illinois Cen-
tral Meeting in Chicago.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Chicago, Oct. 18.—The meeting of
stockholders of the Illinois Central
Railroad today was again postponed
this time until 2:30 o'clock Saturday
afternoon. No other action was taken.
The delay was caused by the inability
of the committee on proxies to pre-
sent its report. The checking up of
the proxies is a task of such huge
proportions that it is unobtainable when
the committee will be able to report.

E. S. Conway, chairman of the proxy
committee, informed President Harahan
today that it was possible but not
certain that the committee would get
through by tomorrow forenoon.

The delay has become irksome to
Mr. Harahan who said today that it
was necessary for him to be in New
York on Monday, although he did not
see how he could leave Chicago before
the conclusion of the stockholders'
meeting.

It was officially announced today by
President Harahan that John G. Mit-
chell, president of the Illinois Trust and
Savings Bank, will be Mr. Harahan's
candidate for the directorship now
held by Mr. Fish.

DIFFERENT FROM ROOSEVELT.

Governor Hughes Will Not Play Com-
mon Politician.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, Oct. 18.—Governor
Hughes tonight made a declaration of
his attitude toward the Presidential
nomination, when, in the course of an
address at a dinner given in his honor
by the Republican Club, he said:

"I do not seek any public office,
I have not sought, nor shall I seek
directly or indirectly to influence the
selection or the vote of any delegate
to any convention, and with reference
to the action of any delegate to any
convention there will be no suggestion
or thought of influence, protest or re-
sistance in the executive chamber."

It was at this same club that Mr.
Hughes announced his acceptance of
the gubernatorial nomination, and his
speech tonight was a review of his
administration, particularly with re-
ference to the legislation which had
been accomplished for the State con-
trol of public service corporations and
other important measures with whose
creation and support he has been
identified. Additional significance was
given his speech tonight by reason
of the fact that he took occasion to
refer to his position in regard to the
fusion of the Republican and the In-
dependence League on the New York
county ticket.

FOOTBALL.

Raleigh, N. C. A. & M. College, 22;
Roanoke College, 0.

Read The Star Business Locals.

WAR BALLOON SAILED 450 MILES

Left St. Louis Thursday After-
noon and Landed in West
Virginia.

ST. LAHM'S RECORD BEATEN

Aeronauts McCoy and Chandler, of
United States Signal Corps Ac-
complished Feat — Interna-
tional Contest Next Week.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
St. Louis, Oct. 18.—According to a
long distance telephone message re-
ceived here this afternoon, the U. S.
Signal Corps balloon No. 10, piloted
by J. C. McCoy and Captain C. DeF.
Chandler was sighted at 1 o'clock this
afternoon in the mountainous country
at Beech Hill, W. Va., approximately
450 miles from St. Louis.

Beech Hill is in Mason county
among the foot hills of the Alleghenies
which loomed ahead of the aeronauts,
less than forty miles away. To cross
them is considered impossible by aero-
nauts, and the balloon, it is supposed,
would be forced to a landing soon.

It was announced at the Aero Club
that Aeronauts McCoy and Chandler
had won the Lahm Cup for long dis-
tance flight when they passed over
Gallipolis, Ohio, today.

The international record estab-
lished by Lieutenant Lahm last year in
Europe was 402 miles on a straight
line, winning for him the James Gor-
don Bennett cup. He at once offered
a cup himself to the aeronaut beating
his record. The ascension was made
here at 4:10 last evening, merely as
a long distance test preliminary to the
international aeronautical contests
next week. The balloon holds 78,000
cubic feet of gas and the two aero-
nauts felt confident of being able to
remain in the air all night.

Swinging through the atmosphere
at a speed estimated at 22 miles an
hour, the United States signal corps
balloon in which were aeronauts J. C.
McCoy and Captain Charles DeF.
Chandler, of the United States signal
corps ascended at St. Louis, last even-
ing passed over Illinois and Indiana
last night and across Ohio today, and
tonight probably landed in the vicinity
of Point Pleasant, West Virginia. The
distance covered, on a straight line
measurement, is approximately 500
miles, and the length of the voyage
won for the aeronauts the Lahm cup.

When the ascension was made last
evening it was the intention of the
aeronauts to remain in the air all
night as a test of the gas to be used
by the balloons in the international
aeronautical contests which begin on
Monday. However, considering the
likelihood that they might be carried
a long distance, they went amply pre-
pared for a long flight. Provisions in
tin cans, self-heating by a lime
slacking device were stored in the
basket and a number of different in-
struments for testing purposes were
carried.

Not Sighted at Clarksburg.
Clarksburg, W. Va., Oct. 18.—No
sign of the army balloon which was
reported to be heading toward this city
was seen here today, although a look-
out was kept from the city's highest
buildings.

Balloon Sighted Last Night.
Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 18.—A message
received by the Associated Press from
Fairmount, W. Va.: "A blue light far
above the town was distinguished
shortly after 1 o'clock this morning.
The light is moving rapidly eastward.
It is believed here that it is the army
balloon which started from St. Louis
Thursday evening."

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

Business South and West Seems to Be
Satisfactory.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, Oct. 18.—R. G. Dun &
Co.'s weekly Review of Trade tomor-
row will say:

Retail trade broadens under the
stimulating influence of favorable
weather and collections also improve.
While reports are almost unanimous
regarding the satisfactory volume of
retail distribution of seasonal goods in
other sections of commercial and
industrial activity there is some ir-
regularity, attributed in most cases to
high rates for money, which induces
conservatism in preparations for the
future. Yet leading cities at the West
and South find no restriction in sup-
plementary orders at wholesale and
jobbers report that new lines for
Spring are well received.

In the textile industries the event
of the week was the cut in prices by
Chicago house. There was no evidence
of weakness in cotton goods prior to
that reduction, which in some lines
amounted to 20 per cent., and eastern
jobbers did not follow the Western
movement.

Producers in New England are all
sold so far ahead that there is no oc-
casion for concessions, yet the tone of
the entire industry is unsettled.

TWO HANGED IN VIRGINIA.

One Murdered Preacher and One At-
tempted Criminal Assailant.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Richmond, Va., Oct. 18.—George
Peters, who was convicted of the mur-
der of Rev. Joseph Peters, of Car-
roll county, Virginia, was hanged at
Hillsville, the county seat, today.

Peters was asked just before the
trap was sprung if he had anything to
say and he replied:

"This is the end of a man who vi-
olates the law of the land, and of God."
William Harris, a negro, was hanged
at Chesterfield Court House today
for attempted criminal assault on a
young white girl.

SQUALLY FRIDAY IN NEW YORK

Day Was One of Great Anxiety
Among Financiers of Met-
ropolis.

STOCKS HEAVILY DECLINED

Clearing House Association Saved
Mercantile National Bank—Its
Management Entirely Changed.
Metal and Railroads Stocks.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, Oct. 18.—While by no
means a "black Friday" this was far
from being a fair day in Wall Street
and when trading closed genuine satis-
faction was expressed that a short
Saturday and a Sunday would force
a lull during which many things were
possible of adjustment. The prompt
action of the clearing house committee
in eliminating the Mercantile National
Bank as a disquieting factor should
result by Monday in pretty well clear-
ing the atmosphere. Today it was in-
sisted that there was nothing alarming
in the local banking situation.

In the Stock Exchange the metals
and affiliated stocks continued their
downward movement, carrying with
them the general list, particularly
railway shares. The selling was heavy
and the market feverish throughout,
being susceptible to vague influences.
Call money touched 10 per cent. an
hour before the close. Smelting broke
9 3/8, selling down to 61 1/4, and
Amalgamated Copper 4 7/8, dropping
to 44 1/2. Both of these stocks made
new records, as did a long list of other
properties, and short covering assisted
a closing rally, after various trouble
rumors had failed to materialize. The
change in the management of the Mer-
cantile National Bank, the presidency
of which was resigned by F. Augustus
Heinze yesterday, was made complete
today. Following its investigation of
the institution's affairs, the clearing
house committee today extended the
bank cash assistance, but as a condi-
tion precedent to this demanded the
resignations of the entire board of di-
rectors. These were immediately pre-
sented to the president of the Clearing
House Association, who will appoint a
new board.

William B. Ridgley, Comptroller of
the Currency, it was unofficially an-
nounced today, had decided to accept
the presidency. He was present today
when the bank's affairs were looked
into. It was said that Mr. Heinze still
retained his holdings in the Mercan-
tile.

Conservative Wall Street men to-
night expressed the opinion that the
flurry was over so far as serious re-
sults were concerned.

WM. G. ROCKEFELLER ON STAND

Testified Yesterday in Government's
Suit Against Oil Trust.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New York, Oct. 18.—William G.
Rockefeller, assistant treasurer of the
Standard Oil Company of New Jersey,
testified today in the government's
suit for the dissolution of the oil com-
pany, that the Standard was a heavy
lender of its surplus funds in Wall
street, for which it obtained the pre-
vailing rates of interest. Mr. Rocke-
feller made this declaration when
asked to account for the loan of \$32-
000,000 made by the Standard Oil
Company of New York, in 1906, to
"interests other than the Standard."

Concerning the \$20,000,000 loans to
F. S. Trainor by the Southern Pine
Lumber Company, Mr. Rockefeller said
he had no knowledge. After several
statements concerning the business
of the Standard's pipe lines had been
placed in evidence, an adjournment
of the hearings was announced until
December 2nd in order that counsel
may have time to go over the evidence
developed.

HESTER'S COTTON STATISTICS.

World's Visible Supply 2,788,827
Bales.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
New Orleans, Oct. 18.—Secretary
Hester's statement of the world's vis-
ible supply of cotton, issued today,
shows the total visible to be 2,788,827
bales, against 2,578,614 last week, and
2,640,047 last year. Of this the total
of American cotton is 2,000,951,
against 1,795,738 last week and 1-
892,047 last year. And of all kinds,
including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc.,
787,876, against 782,876 last week, and
748,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cot-
ton there is now afloat and held in
Great Britain and continental Europe,
1,528,000 bales, against 1,172,000 last
year; in Egypt, 81,000, against 88,000
last year; in India 340,000, against
416,000 last year, and in the United
States 840,000, against 964,000 last
year.

ORIOLE BALL PLAYERS WIN

Beat Youngsters' by Score of 8 to 4
Today.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Baltimore, Oct. 18.—The members
of the old Oriole baseball club, three
time champions a dozen years ago,
today trounced the Baltimore Eastern
League Club of the past season in
proper shape, making 8 runs, 13 hits
and 2 errors against the youngsters' 4
runs, 11 hits and 3 errors. Hardy, for
the youngsters, was roughly handled
by the old batsmen, and Burchell who
succeeded him met with like trouble,
while Hoffer, who pitched for the old
Orioles kept the hits scattered. Man-
ager Hughey Jennings, of the Detroit
team, played second base for the Ori-
oles and was given a rousing recep-
tion. In response to many requests a
fourth game has been arranged for to-
morrow.

FOUR KILLED, THIRTY INJURED

Head-On Trolley Car Collision Near
Chattanooga.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 18.—Four
persons were killed, ten are in a hos-
pital and more than a score were more
or less injured in a head-on collision
of two Sherman Height street cars
on Harrison avenue, near the city lim-
its early today.

Confusion of signals is said to have
been the cause of the accident. Both
cars were running at a rapid rate
into a dip in the track when the
crash came. The incoming car was
heavily loaded with persons on their
way to work in the city, and most of
those killed and injured were on this
car. Both motormen were killed in-
stantly.

TERRIFIC SNOW STORM

Bad Storm Accompanied by High
Winds in Lake Region.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Oct. 18.—
Snow is falling over the upper lakes
today accompanied by high winds
which have created the heaviest sea
of the year. All boats are tying up
here waiting for better weather. There
have been no wrecks reported from
this end of Lake Superior.

As an Incentive to Save



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NOTICE.

Special Schedule on Suburban Line
Today.

Cars to Beach operated via 10th
street after 10 A. M.
Cars will leave Front and Princess
streets at 10 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 1:00
P. M., 5:00 P. M., 7:00 P. M., 9:00 P.
M., 11:00 P. M.

Cars leave Beach at 10:45 A. M.,
12:15 A. M., 2:15 P. M., 4:15 P. M.,
6:15 P. M., 8:15 P. M., 10:15 P. M.

Regular city cars will turn back at
9th and Princess streets. Passengers
will transfer at this point Front and
Princess streets.

October, 17, 1907.

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MR. J. VAN B. METTS,
INSURANCE AGENT,
City.

Dear Sir: I beg to express my appre-
ciation of the manner in which you
have handled our insurance and the
satisfactory and prompt adjustment of
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WEEK after the fire, we feel deserves
some recognition on our part.

Thanking you for such prompt at-
tention to our business, we are

Yours very truly,
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By Henry C. Riley, President.

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No. 44 at 1:25 A. M. from Charlotte,
Rutherfordton, Hamlet and local
Stations, connecting at Hamlet with
No. 41 from Norfolk and Raleigh.

No. 40 arrives 2:35 P. M. from Char-
lotte, connecting at Hamlet with No.
66 from Jacksonville, No. 38 from
Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from
Norfolk and Raleigh and No. 81 from
New York and Richmond.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilmt'n. 4:00 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb'n. 6:35 A. M.	6:56 P. M.
Ar Maxton. 7:25 A. M.	7:55 P. M.
Ar Hamlet. 8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Ar Monroe. 10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar Charlotte. 11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.
Lv. Charlotte. 5:00 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Ar Ruth'd'n. 9:00 P. M.	1:42 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No.
66 for Raleigh and Richmond and
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and Portsmouth-Norfolk. At Monroe
with No. 63 for Atlanta, at Charlotte
for Western Carolina Points.

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Norfolk and No. 47 for Columbia, Sa-
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